



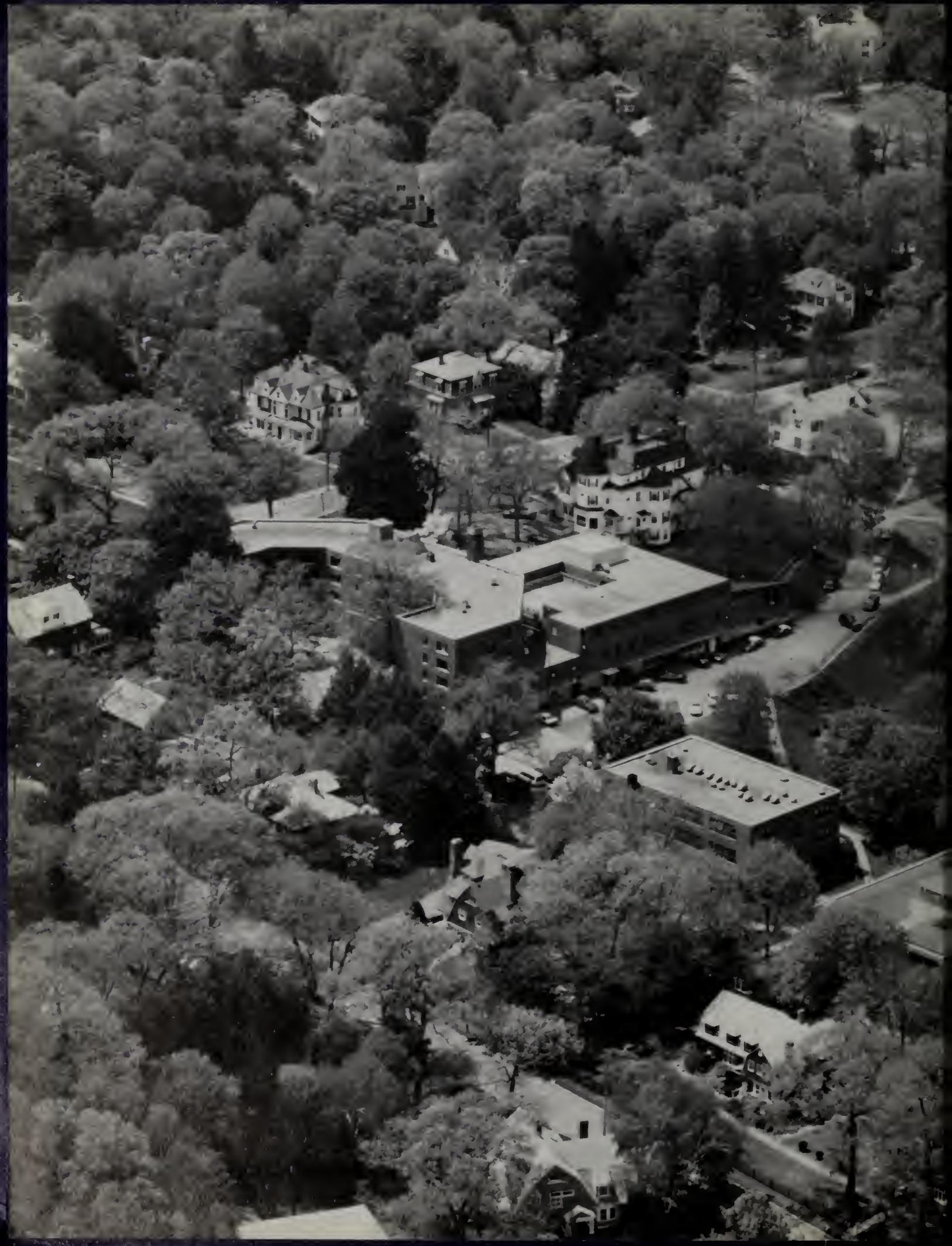
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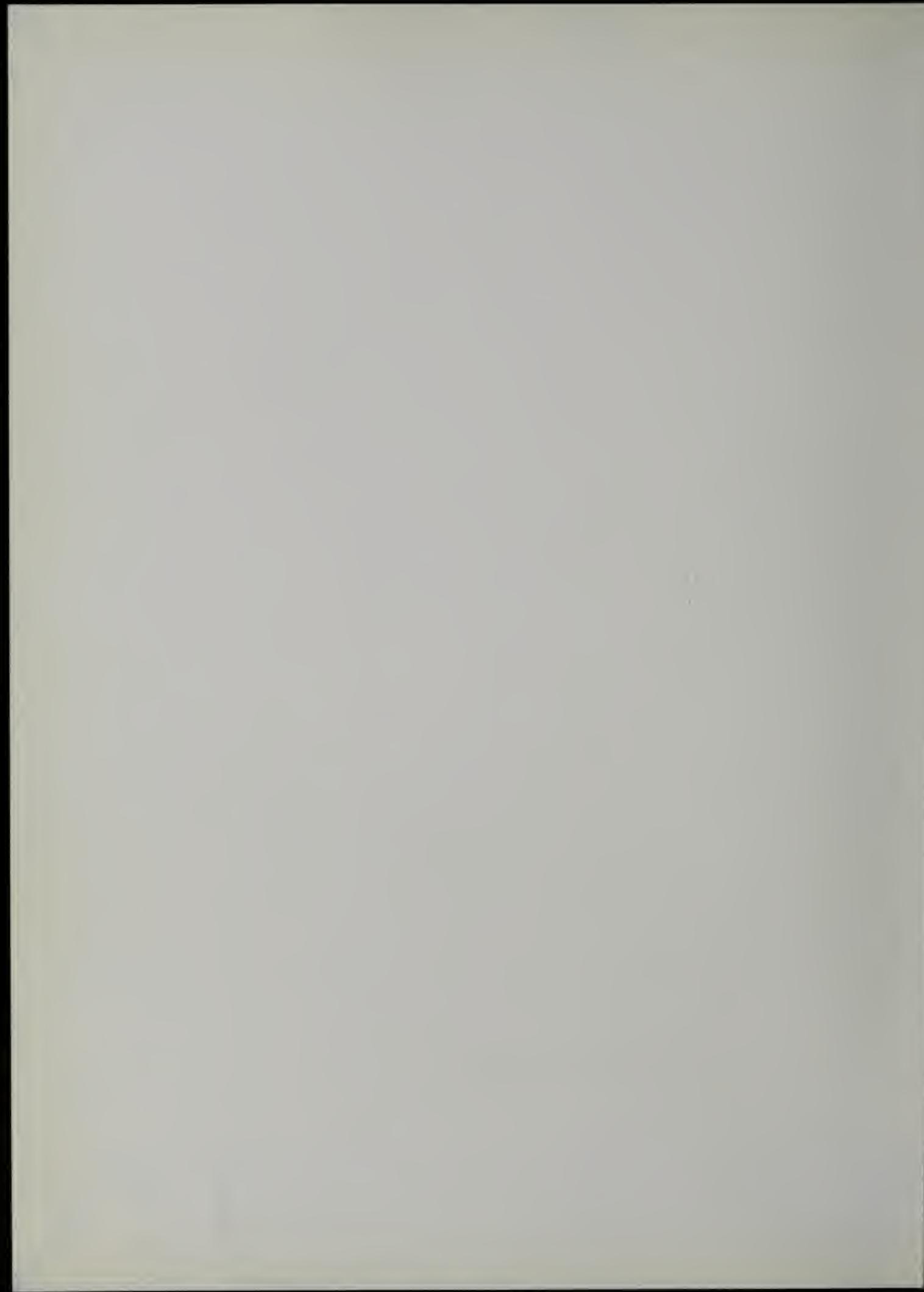
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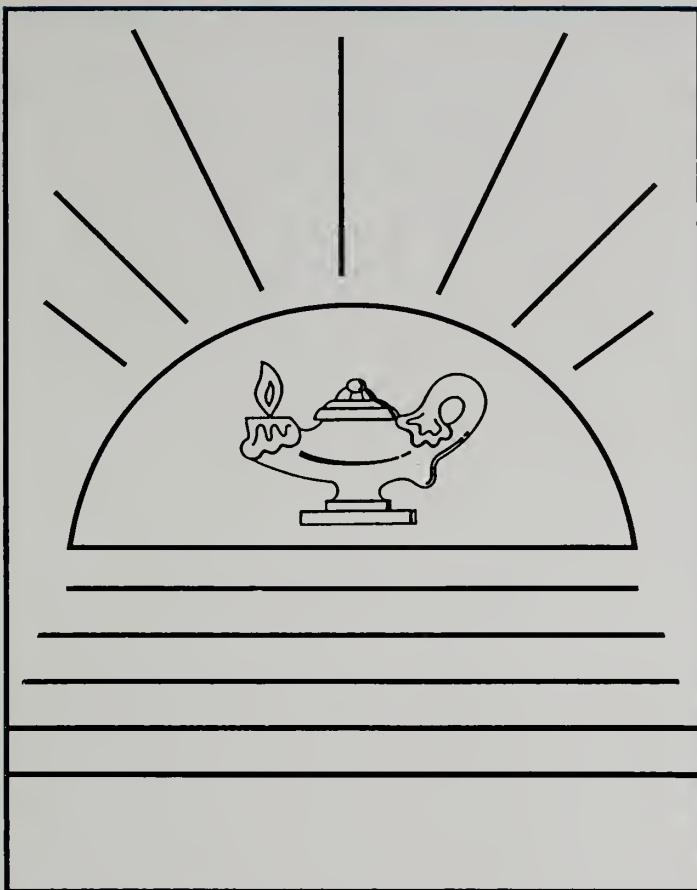
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# BUILDING FOR

When deciding the theme of this year's book, it was quite obvious to us which direction we would take it. The same direction in which the College is headed — BUILDING FOR TOMORROW. Over this past year, we have experienced a number of new changes and additions, some of which are:

Peer Education Program — First Year Resource Educator Program  
Building — Athletic Facility  
Dean of Students — Diane Austin  
Academic Program — Occupational Therapist Assistant  
Computer/System — Cabling, Internet, Voice Mail, Etc.  
Program Directors — John Aflague, Nursing  
Florence West, O.T.A.  
George Redmond, Travel & Business  
Assistant Dean of Allied Health — Lisa Harris  
Resident Directors — Kelly Cronin & Debbie Quinlan  
IDs — Computerized ID System

We hope you enjoy reminiscing through this book, looking back at the wonderful experiences created throughout the year.



Above, Debbie Quinlan and Kelly Cronin, new RDS  
To the right, new athletic facility



# TOMORROW



Above, Diane Austin, New Dean of Students  
To the right, Susan Presti, Dir. of Support Services, masters the  
new computerized ID system.

Good evening. Each year the Lasell College yearbook staff dedicates the book to someone who possesses the following qualities:

- someone who has a genuine love for Lasell
- someone who spends extra time at the college which is not required by his or her position
- someone who always makes time for the students

The individual the 1995-1996 Lasell College yearbook staff has chosen earned their degree in Political Science at Regis College and received their Master's in Management from Lesley College. This remarkable person joined Lasell College in February 1987 and served the college as Dean of Admissions for almost two years. In 1988 when Dr. de Witt became President, this person became the Dean for Enrollment Management, where this person assumed responsibility for both admissions and student services. As the college grew and the two jobs became more time consuming, the positions were split, and this individual has continued to serve as the Dean for Enrollment Management.

As President of Student Government in their own undergraduate years, this person has had first hand experience in student life issues. This individual has always maintained a strong commitment to students, and has a genuine enthusiasm for fun and adventure. This person has spearheaded improvements for students, including new furnishings, athletic uniforms, the 1851, and much more.

We, the staff of the 1995-1996 yearbook are proud to announce this year's Lamp will be dedicated to Dean O'Connor.

Speech given by:  
Kerri Forget





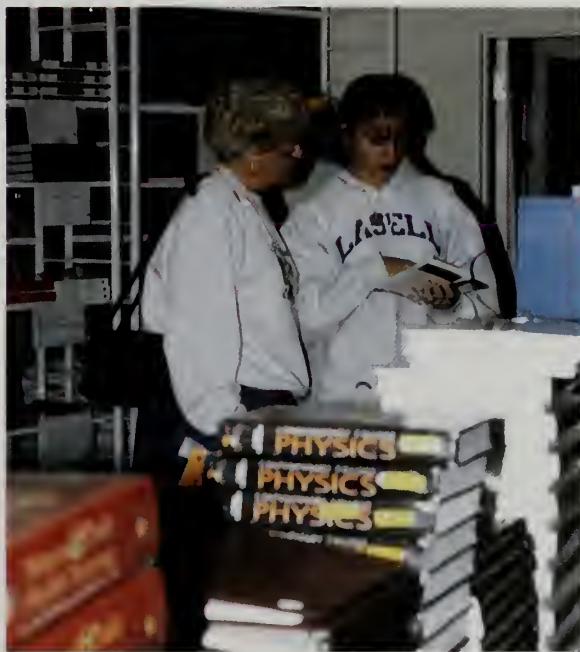
WE THINK  
THE WORLD  
OF YOU!



# STUDENT LIFE

Lasell is a very special community. Even though the size of the campus may be small, it offers many opportunities for students to become well blended individuals. This is done not only academically, but socially as well. Through the involvement of students, many new things are happening. A college can only become what its students make of it, when building their own future.





# ORIENTATION: September 2 — September 5, 1995

Orientation weekend started out with students getting to know the things that are important to everyday life at Lasell. From the bookstore to the mailroom, to the Dean's of the College, students were very busy going from activity to activity. There was an international lunch for the international students to meet each other and learn about their orientation schedule. The day would not be complete without getting to know your fellow resident and commuter students. This was done by using roommate and commuter starter kits. The evening ended on a more comical note with Lisa Kushel performing in "Hot, Sexy, and Safer", a program designed to inform students about safer sex and themselves.

Day two of orientation involved a series of assessment surveys that are required by Lasell for proper course placement. The subjects were Math, English, Computer and Foreign Language. The new students were broken into two groups to participate in various games. The "Purrs" represented those students who did not attend summer orientation, and the "Pulls" represented the students who did attend summer orientation.

On day three, new students had the chance to learn more about life at Lasell, and to listen to Dean Livingston talk about academic success. An introduction to student involvement was held at Yamawaki where a humorous and insightful skit was performed by members of the F.Y.R.E. program. There was a luncheon on the President's lawn where the class photo was taken. Following lunch, students then met with their Program Director and other students in the program.

On the last day of orientation, an international breakfast was held to discuss academic issues. The representatives from Student Services, Learning Center, Health Services, Marriott Food Services, Campus Police, Counseling Center, and Center for Women in Public Service presented important information to help define how to best utilize their services. With the arrival of the returning students, the campus began to come together to build for tomorrow.

Suzi Landolphi's  
frank and funny  
celebration  
of great sex  
with audience  
participation!





Left: Resident Assistants Jean Petrino, Ellen Puglielli, and Jennifer LaClair are just monkeying around. Below Left: Jamie Anderson and Kerri McLaughlin participate in the roommate game. Below Right: Heidi Lundgren of Gardner House.

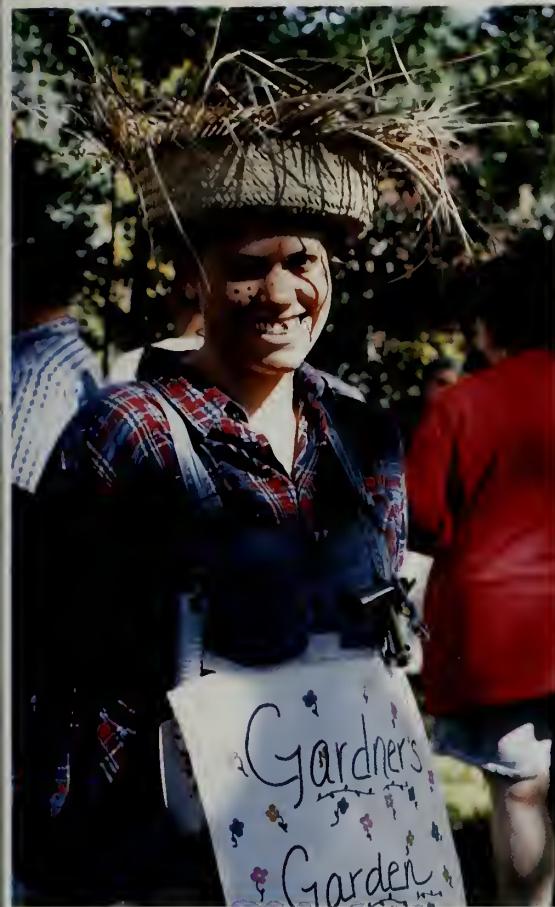
Bottom left to right: Dr. Thomas de Witt — President of Lasell College, Diane Austin — Dean of Students, Dr. Cathy Livingston — Dean of Academic Affairs, and Kathleen O'Connor — Dean of Enrollment Management.



# River Day 1995

River Day is an annual tradition at Lasell College that is held on the grounds of the Newton Marriott Hotel. Each year, students, family, alumni, faculty, staff and friends all gather at the Marriott to participate in the canoe races on the Charles River. The canoes that are used have been with the college for many years and have the capacity to seat nine people. Once again, the Marriott catered a wonderful picnic with everything from burgers to desserts. The weather for the 1995 River Day Races was warm and sunny. Gardner women really got into the spirit of the day and dressed up as a garden to create a theme for their boat. As usual, splashing and fun went hand and hand. The winners this year were: Carpenter House, Lasell College Alumni and the Resident Directors.





Above: Patti Beck socializes at the ladybugs' picnic. Far left: Carpenter House seizes victory. Left: Carpenter House showing off their teamwork.

Below: Gardner residents fight for a chance at victory. Bottom right: Alumni return and hold onto their title. Middle right: Michelle Lepore, Assistant Dean of Students, and Resident Directors: Michelle White, Tammi Mack, Kelly Cronin, Greg White, and Debbie Quinlan.



# Family and Friend's Weekend 1995



*Origami:* Some of our international students and our special guests from Yamawaki College in Japan taught this ancient and beautiful art of paper folding.

*Creative Area:* "Eddie's" hosted the t-shirt painting and decorating of "your own foot" in plaster of paris.

## Walking The World Festivities — Discovering A New World

The evening began with delicious foods representing a variety of countries. Dinner ran from 6:00 p.m. to 7:30 p.m. During the course of the evening, there were a variety of events to participate in.

*Best Foot:* The “feet” decorating the Student Center were created by Andre van de Putt and decorated by resident and commuter students. Each person attending the night was given a ballot to vote for their favorite food. The winners were: First Prize went to Woodland 2nd Floor (a pizza party was awarded), Second Prize went to New Dorm 2nd Floor (an ice cream party was awarded), and Third Prize

winner to Carpenter House (a movie and popcorn night was awarded). *Commemorative Photos:* Participants were invited to capture the moment with a color photo to celebrate River Day or pose with an International flag.

*Irish Sing-A-Long:* The 1851 was transformed into an old Irish pub where a band, students and guests stamped their feet and sang songs.

*Games! Games! Games!:* Shuffle Board, Pool, Air Hockey and more were the activities at “Behind The Eight Ball”.



*International Folk Dancing:* The most daring of our students and guests learned some fun and easy dances in the Student Lounge.

## “Fashions From Around The World”



Karen Lewis, Loan Ngo, and Laura Vega — three fabulous Lasell students modeling different styles from the show.



The Lasell Fashion Forum Board Members include: Julie Graboski, Carrie Sas, Melissa Kelley, Suzanne St. Hilaire, Rory McGrath, Melinda Kovac, Tamie McSweeney, Indira Marti, Mandie Higgins, Jill Cheever, Amy Martel, Emily Olsen, Kristen Ryan, Jane Colton, Julie Moulton, and Carrie Langhorne.



Urit Chaimovitz (bottom) gave everybody in the audience an exciting introduction and warm welcome! Celeste Dvorski (above), Allison Johnson (left), and Nicole Damiano (left) model styles from America to the beat of country music with a twist.



September 29, 1995 at 8:00 p.m. in Winslow Hall the Lasell Fashion Merchandising and Design students put on the annual fall fashion show. Our exceptional fashion students worked hand in hand to produce a show that the Lasell community could be proud of. These women had total responsibility of model selection, choreography, publicity, and stage and runway preparation.

The title of this year's show was "Fashions From Around The World". The fashion forum in conjunction with Hit or Miss, Inc., were able to display designs from the United States, Africa, France, and Japan. Special support was given from Terry Erickson (Vice President Divisional Merchandise Manager, Hit or Miss, Inc.), Jane Ayers (Senior Store Interior Planner, Filene's), Richard Bath (Director, Lasell Institute for Fashion Technology), and Jill Carey (Assistant Professor, Lasell Institute for Fashion Technology) to put on a spectacular show. The Lasell student models took the stage and set the night on fire as they strolled down the sparkling runway.

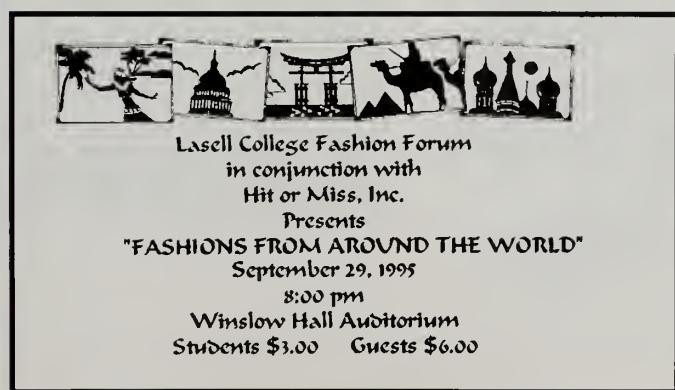


A special commendation was given to Winston "Winnie" Robertson for his twenty-five years of service to Lasell College. Mr. Robertson was given several gifts from the Fashion department and was awarded with a Lasell chair from the Academics department.

Student Models were: Natachat Altenor, Wai-Li Cheng, Jennifer Costa, Nicole Damiano, Amie Dean, Marisa DiaGiacomo, Celeste Dvorski, Jannel Foreshaw, Wanda Fuentes, Rachel Hamm, Lindsay Higgins, Elaine Hoisiotis, Allison Johnson, Jamie Johnson, Ani Keredjian, Hiromi Kubo, Karen Lewis, Tisha Matthews, Loan Ngo, Alexandra Nolletti, Jamie O'Connor, Irene Ohanessian, Angela Pica, Tonya Pickett, Michele Squitiers, Mayra Torres, Beth van Patten-Steiger, and Laura Vega.

Model Dressers included: Ozlem Bahadir, Jennifer Brooks, Dohee Choi, Lynn Esser, Renu Gupta, Aleisha Harris, Danielle Henderson, Jackie Lawrence, Heather Manning, Leslie Pacheco, Tori Stanton, and Kelly White.

House Staff were: Laura Donahue, Josie Gage, Cary Langhorne, Kerri LaRosee, and Melissa Sweeney.



## The Haunting Season



Top Left: Xavier dressed as the Genie from Aladdin. Top Right: Students participate in the donut eating contest. Bottom Right: Dracula and his victim.



Natachat and Earilyn enter Karandon's Haunted House which had surprises around every corner. Hunchback of Notre Dame waits to greet students in her chamber.



Lasell had many events to celebrate Halloween. For the past three years Gardner House has hosted the annual haunted house. This year it was moved to Karandon House. This activity was opened up to all Lasell students to organize and star in. The thrilling event was a one night show and a great success. Everyone who attended was entertained. The Travel Club held a Halloween party and dance in the 1851. Students dressed up and danced in their costumes to celebrate the haunting season. On Halloween night many residents, staff members, and commuter students enjoyed a special dinner in Valentine dining hall. The dinner included several contests: costume, apple bobbing, pumpkin carving and eating a donut off a string.



## “A Night of Elegance”

Organized by a dedicated group of students, the annual Holiday Ball was a roaring success. Students, staff and faculty danced the night away in a major hotel in Boston.



(Right) McClelland residents and their guests deck the halls.



*Holiday Ball  
1995  
at the  
Sheraton Boston  
Hotel and Towers  
Saturday, December 2, 1995  
9pm to 1am  
A Night of Elegance*





Top Left — Could we possibly get any more snow this year?

Middle Left — 7 Sounds of Heaven performing at the President's House.

Bottom Left — Carpenter House residents celebrate the holidays in "Martian Style".

Top Right — Vickie LaCroix and Jen LaClair at the Holiday Dinner in Valentine Hall.

Middle Right — Rosalie Vidal and Xavier listen to the music being performed.

Bottom Right — Marci D'Andrea, Cary Langhorne, Jen Audet and Christine Lemery



## Winter Solstice

Each year the Lasell Community comes together to celebrate the winter holidays. In doing so, students decorate their dorms, houses or lounges. This year, students had a special holiday dinner in Valentine Hall and helped the President of the College decorate the tree in his home.



Middle — Kelly Cronin helps decorate the President's tree.  
Left — President Thomas de Witt and his wife.  
Above — Urit Chaimovitz stresses the importance of giving to others less fortunate than ourselves.

# Spring Fashion Show



*Lasell Institute for Fashion Technology*  
Presents  
"Celebrating 60 Years of Fashion"  
April 11, 1996  
7:00 pm  
Winslow Hall  
Students \$10.00 Guests \$15.00



Who would have ever thought Winslow Auditorium could be transformed into a New York style runway show? The members of the Lasell Institute for Fashion Technology sophomore class, that's who. Led by the keen insightfulness of Julie Grabowski, Carrie Sas, and Melissa Kelly, the class worked together to put on the first ever fashion show to feature Lasell's own student designs. Held on the evening of April 11, 1996, festivities began with the guests in awe at the 60' x 40' tent that managed to fit inside Winslow Hall. The designs of the night featured the talents of many of Boston's finest, including Nong Tumsutipong, Andy Chan, and Lasell's own designer-in-residence Jay Calderin. However, undoubtedly the knockout of the night was the showing of Lasell's very own student designs. For the first time since Lasell began its Fashion Design and Production component, our own students had the opportunity to showcase their many talents.

Although the student designs were a hit, the talent and hard work of the production team cannot go unmentioned. The Fashion Merchandising team worked day and night for months (much like the designers) to put together every aspect of the fashion show, including organizing the music, the floor plan, and of course the reception. At the end of the evening, their hard work was truly evident. Great job to all of the ladies!



# Spring Ball

## *Spring Ball*

Saturday, April 27, 1996  
Royal Sonesta Hotel  
Cambridge, MA  
8:00 pm to 1:00 am  
semi-formal attire



# Educational Programming

Educational programming brings a wide variety of events to the Lasell student body including speakers, activities, and special events about health, safety, and college life.





Bottom Right — Remember, in extinguishing a fire, aiming *at* the fire is a key element for success!

Top Left — President de Witt lights Nicole Dern's candle at an anti-violence demonstration.

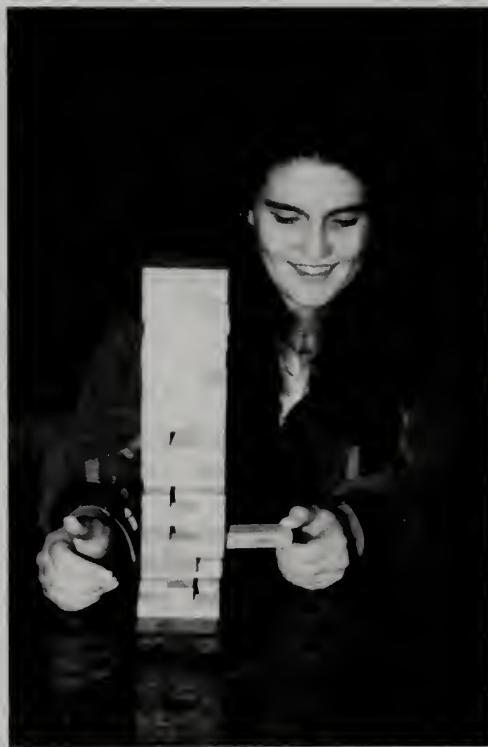
Bottom Middle: Students give voice to their desire for an end to domestic violence.



1851



Top Left — Kelly Cronin — our fearless leader!  
Bottom Left — David J., Comedian



Top — The 1851 Staff  
Top Row — Kelly Cronin, Student Activities Coordinator  
Middle Row — Kerri Forget and Amy Provencal, Student Managers  
Bottom Row — Tonya Pickett, Sonia Provost & Laura Vega (Bess Ramger missing from photo)





Rock N' Roll bands, Musicians, Singers, Dancers, Psychics, Handwriting Analysts, Hypnotists, Comedians, Parties, Movies, Pool, Darts, Air Hockey and more.

The 1851 has it all!

# Lip Sync



The stakes were high this year! Lip Sync 1996 prizes included \$100 gift certificates for best performance in the following categories: individual, duet and group. Marsha Greenstein, "MG Light", was the DJ for this special event, which was held at the Yamawaki Art and Cultural Center.

# Karaoke



“Hopelessly devoted to you” echoed through the walls at the 1851 at the annual Karaoke Night. The event was sponsored by Student Services and admission was free to students and their guests.



# Residential Life

Rolling green lawns punctuated by stately Victorian mansions surrounded by close friends in an exemplary college community. Life at Lasell offers a stunning range of possibilities from the taciturn environment of the student lounge to the excitement of nights at the 1851. Lasell has it all.





# Residential Life Staff and F.Y.R.E.

Carpenter House — Erin Whyte, R.A. and Debbie Quinlan R.D.

Gardner House — Vickie LaCroix, R.A. and Michelle and Greg White, R.D.s

Karandon House — Patti Beck, R.A. and Michelle and Greg White, R.D.s

McClelland Hall — Jean Petrino, R.A. and Ellen Puglielli, R.A., and Tammi Mack, R.D.

New Dorm — Jessica Anthony, R.A., Jennifer LaClair, R.A., Nilda Vidot, R.A., and Tammi Mack, R.D.

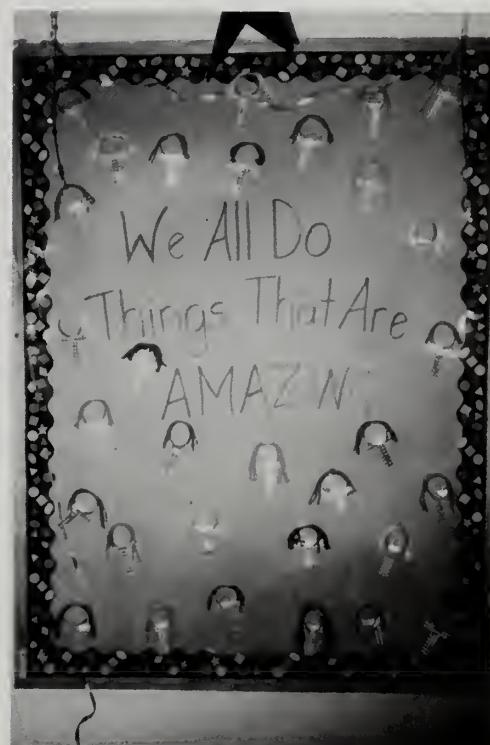
Ordway Hall — Kristina Cruz, R.A. and Debbie Quinlan, R.D.

Woodland Hall — Corinne Davis, R.A., Nicole Dern, R.A., Kelly Harrington, R.A., Lori Whitney, R.A., and Kelly Cronin, R.D.

Residential Life Coordinators: Kelly Cronin, Tammi Mack, Debbie Quinlan, Michelle White, and Greg White



Ha, ha-ha, ha-ha-ha . . . ”



First Year Resource Educators are a group of dedicated student leaders who are all fired up about orientation. An important role of an F.Y.R.E. student is to be a mentor to first year students and to help them with their transition into college and the Lasell community.

# CARPENTER





# GARDNER





# KARANDON





## THE KARANDON CREW



# McCLELLAND





## NEW DORM







## ORDWAY

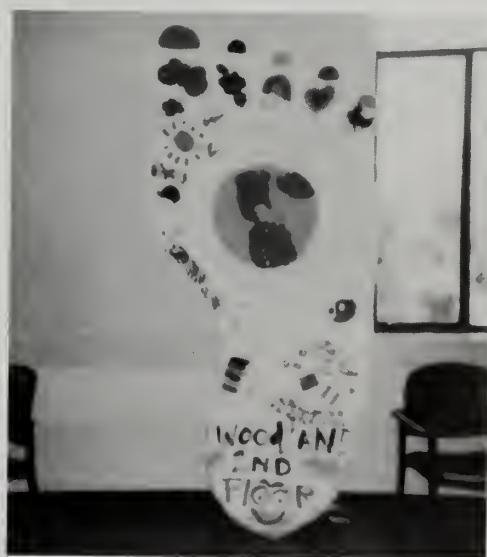




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# WOODLAND







# COMMUTERS





# Faculty & Staff Candid

Thomas E. J. deWitt, President, Margaretta Arnold, Executive Assistant to the President, Diane Austin, Dean of Students, Helena Bentz Hartnett, Dean for External Relations, Dr. Cathy L. Livingston, Dean for Academic Affairs, Kathleen M. O'Connor, Dean for Enrollment Management, Elizabeth Winter, Vice President for Business and Finance





# Faculty & Staff Candid

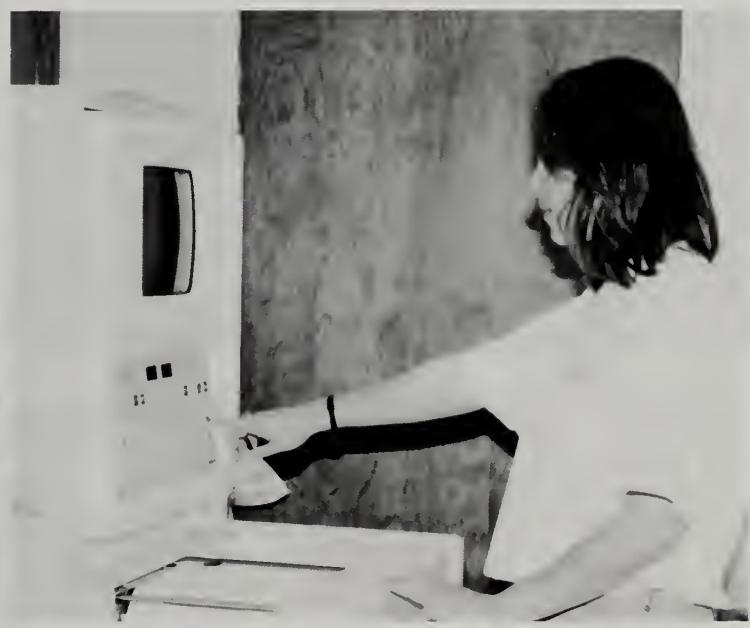




## Academics

Lasell's dedicated faculty and staff challenge and augment students' minds in a professional atmosphere which is intimate enough to ensure that each student receives the personal attention that she deserves. Lasell's reputation as a recognized leader in academics assures that graduates will be a highly sought commodity in today's competitive job market.





# Allied Health



Helping people to help themselves is what Allied Health majors strive to do. Whether they are nursing the sick back to health or providing therapy to those who have been injured, these dedicated professionals enrich all of our lives.



# Art and Interior Design



Whether your idiom is pen and ink or watercolor or finding just the right decor for any room, Lasell's art and interior design programs set your creativity free. Artists touch our lives in many ways and Lasell is working to make sure that tomorrow's artists are getting the training they need to take them to the forefront of their profession.



# Business



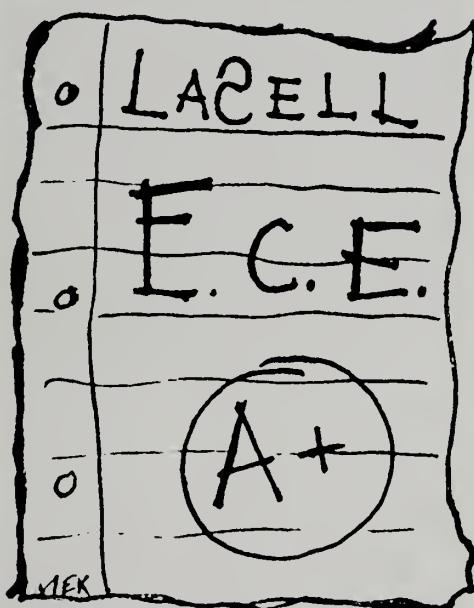
If corporate mergers and acquisitions are in your future, Lasell's Business department can help take your dreams out of the red and put them in the black. Offering students the training that they need to succeed in today's tough business environment, Lasell has once again proven itself a leader in education.



# Early Childhood/Elementary Education



"No cutting in line! Hold hands with your partner! Always share your cookies with the teacher!" The rules we learn as children are rules which we would do well to follow throughout life. Lasell's future educators help children learn and live and live to learn.



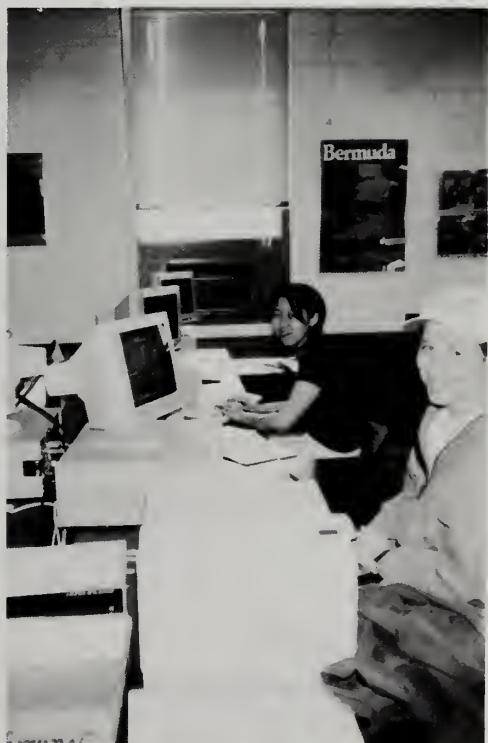
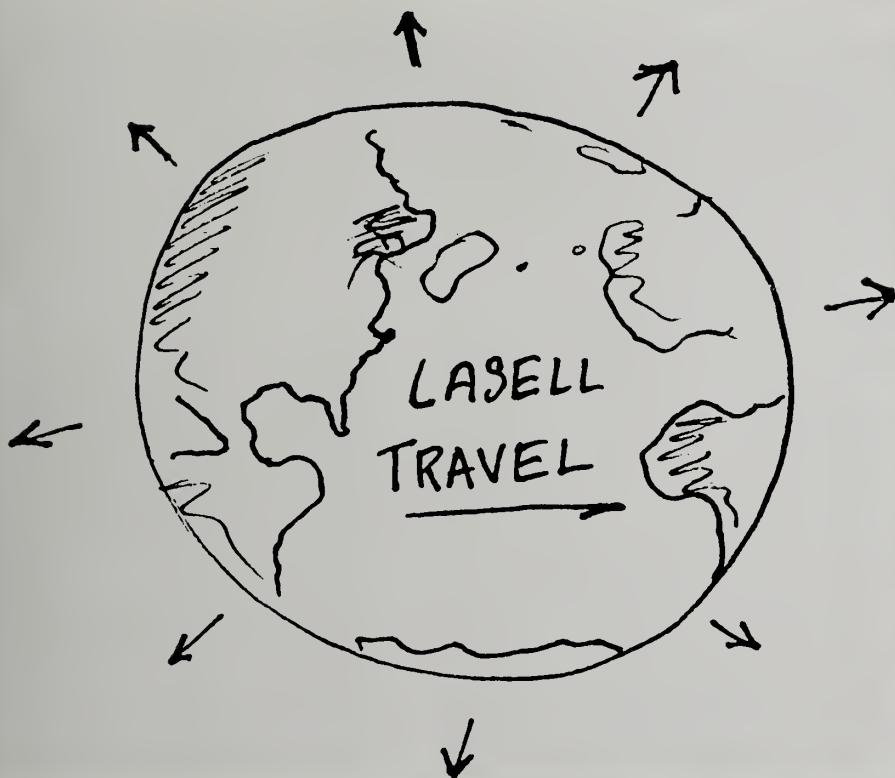
# Fashion



Spurred on by the new name change, Lasell's Institute for Fashion Technology, aka L.I.F.T. spent the 1995-1996 school year reaching out to the community. Fall 1995 saw the birth of Boston's first ever Fashion Week, and Lasell students were right there assisting. In the spring, the Freshman class helped put on a fashion fund raiser show for Dorchester High School. Not only did Lasell students orchestrate the logistics of the show, they also became mentors and role models for over 50 inner-city high school students.



# Hotel and Travel

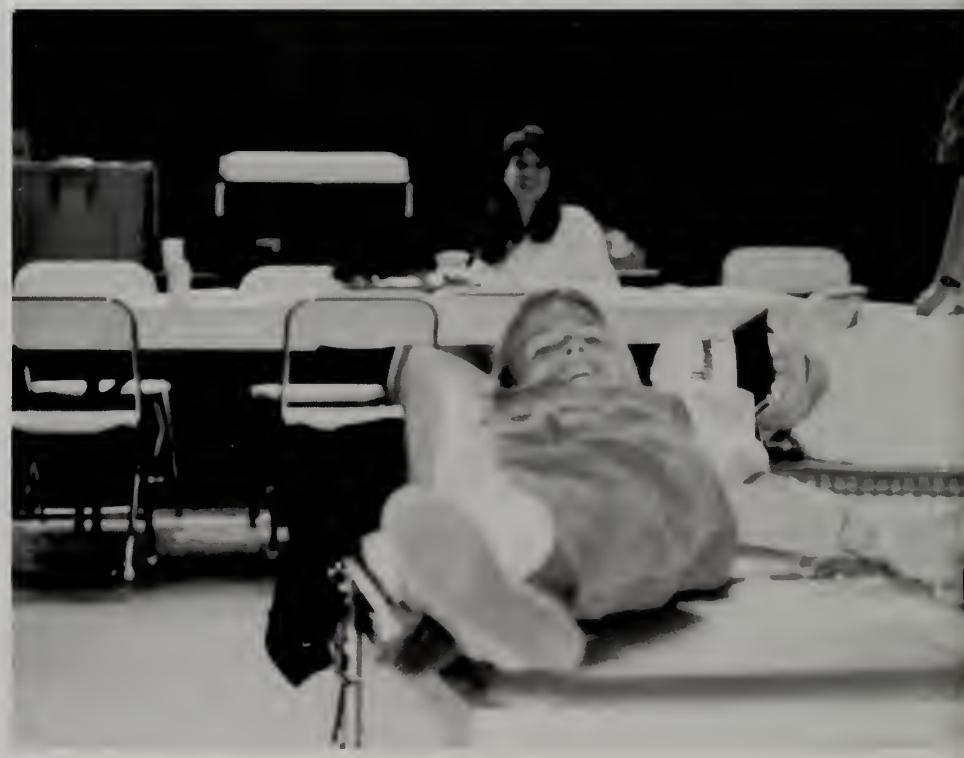


Jetting to Antigua for the weekend, relaxing in the hotel pool or enjoying a week-long island cruise, Lasell's Hotel and Travel Program teaches students the ins and outs of the entire vacation industry, allowing all of us to rest a little easier.

# Human Services



Stemming from the College's Liberal Arts program, Human Services introduces students to a wide variety of social situations and gives them training that allows them to help those in need. Emphasizing ethics and diversity, the program gives students the ability and desire to help others.



# Liberal Arts — Open Studies



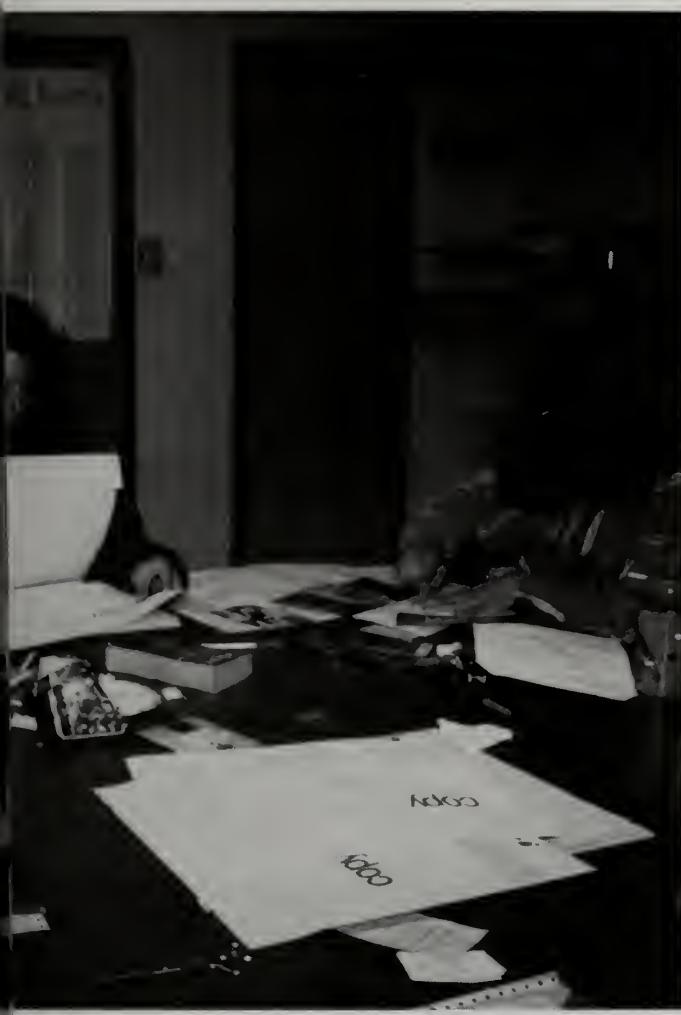
If getting an education means more to you than focusing on a career goal, Lasell's Liberal Arts department can set you on the path to a long life of learning. Encompassing the entire spectrum of educational experiences, a Liberal Arts degree exposes students to a full, rich education which will open doors to boundless opportunities.



# Organizations and Clubs

Covering such varied interests as Fashion Forum and The International Web, Lasell offers enough organizations to keep anyone busy for a long time. Organizations are a way to meet fellow students and to get involved in college life. Put down the T.V. remote control and get involved!





## Blue Key Society

This enthusiastic group of students assists the Admissions staff by volunteering their time to give campus tours to prospective students and their families. This year's Blue Key Society Manager was Lori Whitney.



# Center For Women In Public Service

By working hand in hand with community agencies, Lasell's Center For Women In Public Service provides links between the students and their community. Encouraging service and citizenship, students learn through doing that helping others is more than charity.



# Commuter Club

Finding a way to Lasell, whether it was by bus, carpool, or the T, was challenging but it was worth it. As commuters we had a busy year. We enjoyed a variety of activities including the hayride at Spooky-World, serving dinner at the Salvation Army and our annual trips to The Christmas Tree Shoppe, Kittery, Maine, and Canobie Lake Park. The Commuter Club was also delighted to host this year's safety day. It was a huge success.

— Julia Torres

Commuter Advisor: Susan Presti

Commuter Club Officers: Co-Presidents — Julia Torres and Rosa Cerqueira

Vice President — Nadine Parsons



## Fashion Forum

Our officers serve as the Fashion Forum each year. These students are charged with organizing the annual fashion show, administrating the Big Sister-Little Sister program, and assisting in the Forum's social committee.



## Travel Club

These students are responsible for co-ordinating day, weekend, and spring break trips for the Lasell community. They also sponsor workshops where professionals from the travel industry discuss their careers. This year's Travel Club was presided over by Amy Provencal.



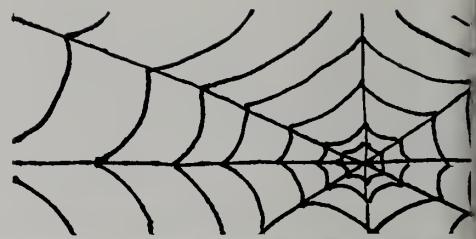
# “WE’RE ALL IN THIS TOGETHER”

## Human Services Club

Students in the Human Services Club are dedicated to helping others. Whether they are organizing blood drives or volunteer afternoons at local shelters, these club members help to make the world a better place.



# Lasell International Web



The purpose of this club is to serve as a forum for international and American students to speak freely about their culture shock and adjustment to the Lasell community. It is a place to go to exchange cultural histories and experiences. For Family and Friends Weekend the club made international flags which were hung in the cafeteria. For Chinese New Year the club handed out fortune cookies and lucky money during lunch.

Co-Presidents: Meg Leach and Loan Ngo





# The Lamp

How better to remember your college years than with a well-crafted yearbook? The Lamp's dedicated staff spent the entire year taking pictures and notes so that you can forever cherish your magical years at Aspell.



# Yamawaki Club

The Yamawaki Club is an organization where transfer students from Yamawaki share useful information with one another. This club is also open to other Japanese students on campus. Club members volunteered to translate for events held at Yamawaki center.



## PTA Club

New to campus, the PTA Club is composed of PTA students who want to make a difference in their field. Members of the club acted as big sisters to the incoming freshmen to help ease their transition into college life and to assist them in academics.

IF IT'S  
PHYSICAL  
IT'S  
THERAPY



## Seven Sounds of Heaven

Entertainment is what this a capella group is all about. They sang at the President's house for the holiday celebration, sharing their sweet sounds with the Lasell community.



# Campus Crier

The student newspaper is written entirely by Lasell students. If you are interested in journalism, photography, layout or design, the Campus Crier could be your starting point for a future in the newspaper business.

## Campus Crier Staff

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Campus Crier  
For the women of Lasell  
COLLEGE



# Off Campus





From Left — Junko Takamae cheers on the runners  
in the 100th running of the Boston Marathon.

Bottom Right — "An apple a day keeps the doctor  
away." Gardner House and Karandon House resi-  
dents should be set for a while.

# Athletics





# BASKETBALL

The basketball team had its best season ever this year posting a record of 9-9. The team also boasted the largest roster ever carrying 11 players all season.

The team was led by head coach Theresa Kelly and assistant coach and Lasell alumnae, Tracey Provost. The squad practiced diligently and even came back early during Christmas break to regroup for the second half of the season.

In between practices and games, the women found time to interact with the community. They made field trips to the Mass. Hospital School and to the Judge Connelly Youth Center to participate in unusual scrimmages. At the Mass. Hospital School, they actually participated in a game of wheelchair basketball. These activities helped bring the team closer on and off the court.

Captains Jill Cheever and Jennie Hilton proved to be great leaders during the entire season and will be missed next year. The 96-97 season will be challenging with a tougher schedule, but with eight returning players, the women will be ready for the challenge.

C Jill Cheever SO Guard/Forward  
C Jennie Hilton FR Center/Forward

Julie Allen	FR	Guard
Raneesha Banks	FR	Guard/Forward
Brooke Butcher	FR	Forward
Ayako Fukasawa	SO	Guard
Josie Gage	SO	Guard
Melissa Kelley	SO	Guard
Vickie Lacroix	JR	Guard/Forward
Michelle Miller	SO	Guard





# Soccer

For the second year in a row, the women's soccer team posted a winning record. The team finished with a record of 8-5-1 and two of the losses were by only one goal.

The team was led by co-captains Marsha Greenstein and Rana Gauthier and coach Banny Yee. Although practice was held on the Esker, the games were played off campus due to construction of the fieldhouse. This made every game an "away" game and forced the team to be a bit more dedicated to the game and to the team.

The 1995 squad was quite a young one carrying seven freshman who proved to be a strong force throughout the season. The entire team worked and played hard together and the season record shows it.

Senior co-captains Rana and Marsha will be sourly missed next season, as they have led this team for the past three seasons. We wish them the best of luck and thank them for all of their hard work, talent and dedication to the Lasell College Soccer program.

C	Marsha Greenstein	SR	Goalie
C	Rana Gauthier	SR	Midfield
	Josie Gage	SO	Midfield
	Jennie Hilton	FR	Fullback
	Stephanie King	FR	Forward
	Vickie Lacroix	Jr	Forward
	Jackie Lawerence	FR	Midfield/Forward
	Michele Lawn	FR	Midfield
	Stephanie Lunnen	FR	Forward
	Michelle Miller	SO	Midfield
	Emily O'Connor	FR	Midfield
	Angela Perry	SO	Fullback
	Sonia Provost	JR	Fullback
	Kristin Rider	JR	Fullback
	Heather Trilligan	FR	Fullback/Goalie



Emily O'Conner sets up to kick the ball down field.





Rana Guthrie runs to kick the ball from the other team.

Jackie Lawrence is neck in neck with a player from the other team.



# SOFTBALL

The softball team had a tough year with no home field, rain-outs, lots of late afternoon classes and even snow-outs in April! The final record for the season was 5-9, not the best in Lasell history, but not the worst either. The team began practice early in February in the gym and then continued on the Esker when the weather permitted.

The battery of Jill Chever and Michelle Miller worked well together and put together forty strike outs. Captain 1st baseman Diana Brown led the team in batting with an average of .486. Diana also took to the mound in some contests and posted ten strike outs.

As the saying goes, "there is always next year." Out of this year's team, at least nine players will be returning as a core group for next season. The players that will be returning for next year are looking ahead to that season and putting this year behind them.

Raneesha Banks	FR	24	Outfield
Amy Blackmore	SO	20	2nd
Diana Brown	JR	5	1st/Pitcher
Christine Castler	SO	12	2ns
Jill Cheever	SO	3	Pitcher
Linda Crowley	SR	8	SS
Marsha Greenstein	SR	4	Outfield
Melissa Kelly	SO	15	Outfield
Stephainie Kingsbury	SO	21	2ns
Vickie Lacroix	JR	11	3rd
Michelle Miller	SO	17	Catcher
Angela Perry	SO	7	Outfield
Sonia Provost	JR	14	Outfield
Alice Tuck	FR	10	Outfield
Robyn Weiser	SO	13	Outfield

Head coach: Steve Angelo





# Volleyball

The women's volleyball team had its best season yet this year posting five wins! This was also the largest team in Lasell history with the roster carrying 15 women, many of whom were freshmen.

Although, the team did not finish with a winning record, many good things came from the season. Coach Martha Dunn-Fall along with captains Mai Gee Fung and Diana Brown led the way. The team was dedicated and practiced hard six days a week and really improved throughout the season.

The team convened in the winter to participate in an all-day tournament in Newton. They played five matches throughout the day and won two of them. It was exciting to get together in the off-season and compete at a different level.

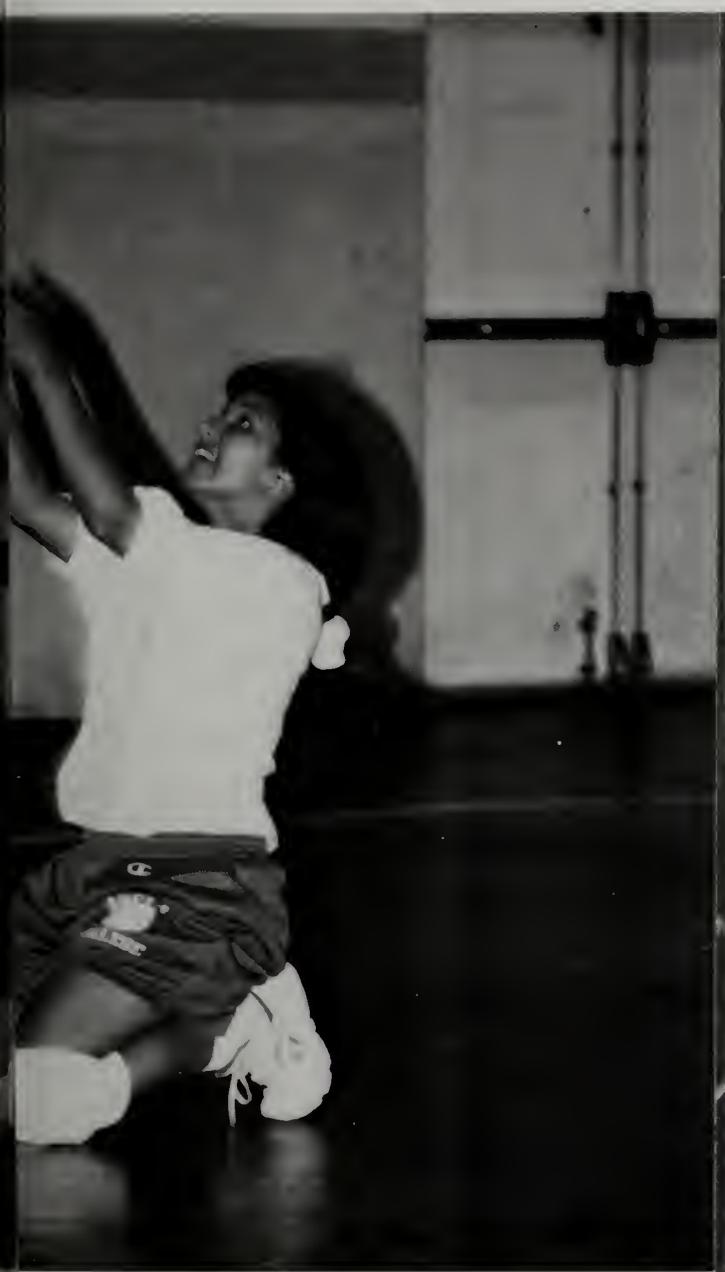
Next year, seniors Mai Gee, Loan Ngo and Mayumi Ikesami will be missed by everyone. The number of returning players is high, so the team is looking forward to continued growth and improvement.

C	Diana Brown	JR	Hitter
C	Mai Gee Fung	SR	Setter
Raneesha Banks	FR	Hitter	
Patti Beck	JR	Setter	
Christine Castler	SO	Hitter/Setter	
Nicole Damaino	FR	Hitter	
Amy DiBona	FR	Hitter	
Mayumi Ikesami	SR	Hitter/Setter	
Allyson Johnson	SO	Hitter	
Heidi Lundgon	FR	Hitter	
Mary Lynch	FR	Hitter	
Rebecca McIntyre	FR	Hitter	
Kim Meyers	FR	Hitter	
Loan Ngo	SR	Setter	
Laura Vega	JR	Hitter	
Student Assistant			Angela Delfavero-Doherty



Loan Ngo, kneeling down as she waits to hit the volleyball.





(Below) Allison Johnson wondering where the ball is.  
(left) Laura Vega jumps up to the net as the ball flies behind her.



# Student Services Awards Banquet

The banquet was held on Tuesday, May 7 at 6:00 p.m. in Valentine Hall. It acknowledged the contributions of students to student life and was a celebration for all graduating students. All Lasell resident student and commuters were invited to attend, as well as all faculty and staff.

The evening began with a warm welcome from Michelle Lepore, Assistant Dean of Students, Dr. Cathy Livingston, Dean of Academics, and Dr. Thomas de Witt, President of Lasell College. The evenings guest speaker, George Redmond, addressed the students with a comical yet inspirational message. The theme for the 1995-96 yearbook, *The Lamp*, was announced. The awards were presented to graduating students in various areas, please see the next page. The dedication of the 1995-96 yearbook to Dean Kathleen M. O'Connor was announced by Kerri Forget, yearbook editor. A standing ovation followed. Kelly Cronin and Debbie Quinlan announced the rest of the evenings activities and Michelle Lepore closed the evening.



## **STUDENT SERVICES AWARDS**

Each spring at the Awards Banquet, student leaders are recognized for their contributions to the community.

### **The Lasell Lamp**

The Lasell Lamp is awarded to Baccalaureate Degree students who have made outstanding contributions to campus life at Lasell over a four-year period. The names of the recipients are engraved on a plaque that is kept by the College.

Marsha Greenstein, Erin Peacock, Erin Whyte

### **The Lasell Cup**

The Lasell Cup is presented to Baccalaureate Degree students who have made outstanding contributions to student life at Lasell over a two-year period. The names of the recipients are engraved onto a plaque on a larger cup kept by the College.

Mayumi Ikegami, Loan Ngo, Ellen Puglielli, Julia Torres

### **The Lasell Bowl**

Each year Associate Degree students who have made outstanding contributions to campus life are presented with a Silver Revere Bowl. The names of the recipients are also engraved on a large silver bowl kept by the College.

Urit Chaimovitz, Cynthia Diaz, Andrea Guerin,  
Stephanie Kingsbury, Megumi Leach, Michelle Miller

### **The Associate Awards**

Awards are given to graduates who have made a significant to their class and to the student activities program.

Natachat Altenor, Jessica Anthony, Rosa Cerqueira, Melinda Kovac,  
Heidi Kuchinsky, Sharon Tabor, Kayla Urbanek, Nilda Vidot

# Torchlight Parade

The Torchlight Parade, a longstanding Lasell tradition, followed the annual Awards Banquet. Students congregated at Central Parking Lot where the graduating students were given torches to carry for a procession through campus to the Crow's Nest which is located next to the Yamawaki Art and Cultural Center. The students wore their class colors to show off their spirit and class unity. Once at the Crow's Nest, the class representatives were invited to speak. The speakers this year were: Sandra Francin, Allison Johnson, Megumi Leach, Loan Ngo, Julia Torres, Erin Whyte, and others.



“... Each piece can be a new dream to reach for and to believe in . . .”

“Today a chapter of your life is ending, but it only leads us to a new beginning . . .”

# Torchlight Soiree



The Torchlight Soiree, which occurs after the Torchlight Parade, is an end of the year celebration of music and dancing in the 1851. Each year, some staff and faculty find their way to the dance floor. It's an event not to be missed! This year the first 150 students to arrive at the Soiree were given Lasell sunglasses and assorted toys (i.e. beach balls, beach fish, etc . . . ). The D.J.s played music until 1:00 a.m. The bartenders for the evening were Kelly Cronin, Manager, 1851, Greg White, Resident Director, Michelle Lepore, Assistant Dean of Students, and Kate O'Connor, Dean for Enrollment Management.



# Commencement Week Activities

May 13-17, 1996

Monday — Pub Fest '96!

Tuesday — Trip to Boston for the day

Wednesday & Thursday — Six Flags  
Amusement Park, N.J.

Friday — Graduation brunch & rehearsal  
Senior Cocktail Soiree under  
the tent





# Nursing & P.T.A. Pinning

Nursing Graduates: Rebecca Bailey, Beth Berard, Christine Casey, Ibett Colacchio, Cheryl Cronin, Lovet Daley, Cynthia Diaz, Andrea Guerin, Aimee Lombardo, Jessica Lombardo, Christina Longchamp, Joudette Louizia, Leigh Anne Murphy, Beth Portlock, Yuliana Shapiro, Kimberly Stephan, Marie Franciose Sylvain, Sharon Tabor, and Deborah Thorndyke

P.T.A. Graduates: Alicia Breault, Erica Beradi, Angela Be with, Stacey Brennan, Samantha Briggs, Donna Carpenter, B nie Cleveland, Rosetta DiCenso, Kristin Earl, Linda Fogel, Si Hartnett, Jennifer Gustafson LaBate, Michelle Lipczer, Jill L anger, Suzanne Malouf, Susan McElveny, Tina Montgome Deborah Preston Murray, Sue Myers, Michelle Myska, Ca Nesbitt, Jessica Prato, Tammy Proulx, Carolyn Pyne, Jill R nion, Terry Shannon, Heather Swonguer, Stephanie Taylor, La Volante, and Tina Weidner



# Exercise Physiology Graduation Celebration



Exercise Physiology Graduates:  
Kathleen Hurley  
Kerri A. McDonald  
Michelle A. Menzel  
Cheryl Rivet



# HONORS CONVOCATION

Winslow Hall

April 23, 1996

Welcome and Introduction: Dr. Thomas E. J. de Witt, President, and Dr. Cathy L. Livingston, Dean of Academic Affairs

Greetings: Dr. Paula Panchuck, Faculty Chair, and Diane Austin, Dean of Students

Presentation of Certificates: Dr. Cathy L. Livingston, Dean of Academic Affairs

Refreshments in Valentine Hall followed.



# WHO'S WHO RECIPIENTS

## WHO'S WHO AMONG STUDENTS IN AMERICAN COLLEGES AND UNIVERSITIES

Patricia Beck, Marsha Greenstein, Vickie LaCroix, Megumi Leach  
Loan Ngo, Erin Peacock, Jean Petrino, Sage Stone, Carissa  
Templeton, Julia Torres, Laura Vega, Lori Whitney, Erin Whyte

## WHO'S WHO AMONG STUDENTS IN AMERICAN JUNIOR COLLEGES

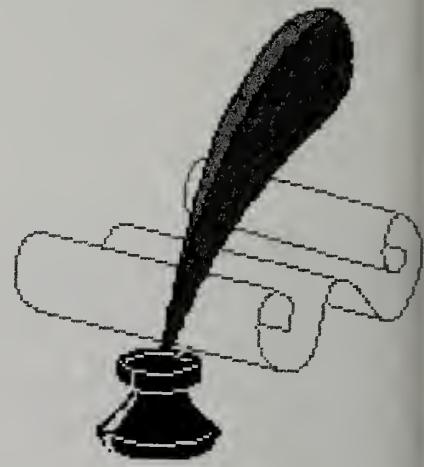
Rosa Cerqueira, Urit Chaimovitz, Jill Cheever  
Kerri Forget, Stephanie Kingsbury



# Academic Awards Banquet



Saturday, May 18, the evening before Commencement, the College sponsored a banquet for students and their families to acknowledge the academic achievements of students. All graduating students were invited to attend and invitations were sent to family members. The President's reception was at 5:00 p.m. at the President's House. A buffet dinner was at 6:30 p.m. and an Academic Awards presentation in Winslow Hall followed.



## Lasell College Lamp Recipients

(Awarded for outstanding academic achievement and contributions of excellence in one's program of study at the four-year level. The Lamp also symbolizes outstanding service to Lasell College during one's college career.)

Loan Ngo  
Erin Peacock  
Erin Whyte

## Lasell College Chair Recipients

(Awarded for outstanding academic achievement and contribution of excellence in one's program of study. The Chair also symbolize outstanding service to Lasell College during one's college career.)

Andrea Guerin  
Megumi Leach  
Kayla Urbanek

## Book Awards for Excellence in:

Accounting	Megumi Leach Allison Johnson	Hotel Management	Rie Takahashi
Business Management	Ellen Gorman	Human Services	Miki Himeno
Early Childhood Education	Holly Ventola	Interior Design	Deborah Parkes
Economics	Melissa Kelley Jill Cheever	Mathematics	Megumi Leach
English as an International Student	Rie Yoshimura	Marketing	Rosa Cerqueira
Fashion Design	Melinda Kovac	Nursing	Cynthia Diaz Andrea Guerin
Fashion Merchandising	Carrie Sas	P.T.A.	Rosetta DiCenso Carolyn Pyne
Foreign Language/Spanish	Minako Shima	Travel & Tourism	Sydjua Walker

## Certificate of Excellence in:

Business Administration	Melissa Aieta Taryn Hale Loan Ngo
Community/Public Service	Erin Peacock
ECCE/Elementary Education	Erin Whyte
Excercise Physiology	Kathleen Hurley Kerri McDonald Michele Menzel Cheryl Rivet
Fashion Design/Production	Sandra Francin
Hotel/Travel	Karla Bourgault Jessica Parr
Human Services	Carline Louissaint Mai Gee Fung
IDS	Martine Altine Ellen Brown
Neiman Marcus Fashion Merch. Award	Jennifer MacDonnell
Manuel Sheinfeld Award	Julie Graboski

# Finally . . . Graduation Day! Commencement

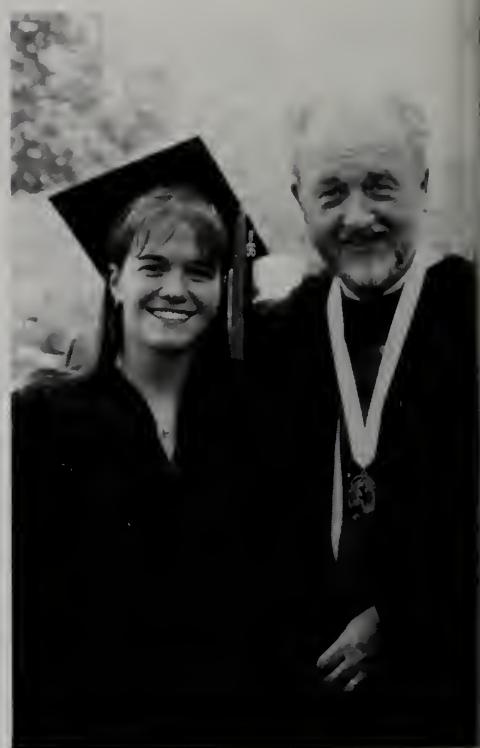
Commencement day began with a 9:00 a.m. breakfast in Valentine dining hall. Faculty and staff were present to say a farewell to graduating students. All graduates were asked to start to line-up in the cafeteria at 10:00 a.m. Those graduating with honors received their gold tassels at rehearsal on June 17. The procession started at 10:30 a.m. toward the Commencement tent at Yamawaki Art and Cultural Center. There was seating for approximately 2000. Commencement was followed by a light reception outside of the Yamawaki Center.





This year we were honored to have, in this 100th anniversary year of the Olympics, our Commencement speaker Dr. Tenley Albright. Dr. Albright overcame childhood polio and a serious leg injury to become the first American woman to win the Gold Medal in figure skating. As a women's college alumna, she is supportive of the special value of women's colleges. A woman of great vitality and passion with a commitment to helping others, she earned her medical degree in surgery at Harvard University. Among her affiliations, she is involved with the Women's Health Initiative of the National and the New England Cancer Society. Currently, she is the spokesperson for the American Red Cross and has also been special advisor on the President's Council on Physical Fitness, and the Boys' and Girls' Clubs of America. She has received numerous awards, including life membership in the NAACP; she will be one of the 100 Golden Olympians to be honored at the Centennial Games in Atlanta this July.







# GRADUATES

## ALMA MATER

*Firmly bound by bonds unbroken  
Love for Old Lasell  
Take we now a pledge outspoken  
E'er to guard her well.*

*Alma Mater, Fidelitas!  
Pledge, all, for Loyalty!  
Sing we now before we part,  
We'll ever faithful be.*

*Bright school days are quickly past;  
Enjoy them while you may,  
Mem'ries still shall them outlast,  
When we are far away.*

*Alma Mater, Fidelitas!  
Pledge, all, for Loyalty!  
Sing we now before we part  
We'll ever faithful be.*







Kimberly Jean Allen  
Business Administration



Jaimie Ventre Arnold  
Business Administration



Pia Borrelli  
Interdisciplinary Studies



Tiffany Ann Cairns  
Human Development: The Psycho-Social Development of the Young Child





Janel Catherine Crowley  
Fashion and Retail Merchandising



Linda Jean Crowley  
Human Development: The Psycho-Social Development of the Young  
Child  
Activities: Softball



Jennifer Rebecca Dank  
Human Development: The Psycho-Social Development of the Young  
Child



Beth Ann Drucker  
Human Development: The Psycho-Social Development of the Young  
Child





Mai Gee Fung  
Human Services



Rana Gauthier  
Human Development: The Psycho-Social Development of the Young Child  
Activities: Captain of Soccer Tam, ABCD Even Start Program, Women in Public Service, Softball, Who's Who Among College Students, The Horizons Initiative  
A very special thank you to my parents for being there the past four years.



Donna Marie Gentles  
Business Administration  
Activities: Women in Business, Math Tutoring  
I want to thank my family and friends. Special thank you to Ms. Purdy Burkley. Anthony I love you. And to Kelvin I love you too.



Marsha Greenstein  
Human Development: The Psycho-Social Development of the Young Child  
Activities: Soccer — Captain/Goalie, Softball, Basketball, Resident Assistant, LBA, Blue Key Society  
I want to thank all my friends and family for supporting me throughout my college years. Always keep in touch and I will miss each and every one of you. Good luck.



Taryn Lee Hale  
Business Administration



Mayumi Ikegami  
Interdisciplinary Studies: Humanities Concentration  
Activities: Blue Key Society College, Ambassador, Volleyball, La-  
sell International Club Co-President, Yamawaki Club Treasurer,  
Learning Center Student Tutor (Spanish, Math, Japanese), Computer  
Center Lab Assistant  
A very special thank you to my friends and faculty for all the support!



Kimberly Hope Kunsaitis  
Human Development: The Psycho-Social Development of the Young  
Child



Patricia J. Maguire  
Business Administration



Wakana Masumoto  
Business Administration



Kerri Ann McDonald  
Exercise Physiology



Jennifer Lee Nordin  
Human Development: The Psycho-Social Development of the Young Child  
Activities: Yearbook Treasurer 94-95, Yearbook Co-Editor Fall 95, Yearbook Assistant Editor Spring 96  
Special thank you to my sister and my mother. I would not have made it without you! Remember if you think you can or you think you can't don't give up.



Natasha Louise Orchard  
Fashion and Retail Merchandising  
Activities: Fashion Board



Michele Ann Menzel

Exercise Physiology



Loan T. Ngo

Business Administration: International Business and Marketing concentration

Activities: Blue Key Society, F.Y.R.E., Softball, women in Business, Commuter Club, Lasell International Web, Fitch Elementary Tutor, Dean's Council, S.G.A., Volleyball

A very special thank you to my partner Angel, to my family and friends for being there for me. The secret of success is to be ready for opportunity when it comes.



Erin Marie Peacock

Human Development: The Psycho-Social Development of the Young Child

Activities: AIDS Teach-In 92 and 93, Student Program Coordinator for the Math and Science Mentoring Program at Mother Caroline Academy 93 and 96, Camp Colors 94 and 95, Assistant Director for the Women in Public Service 95 and 96, Dean's Council 95 and 96 "Cynics take note as you come and go. Youth has a dream and a leader who heeds it. Hark how the challenging echoes flow — Hold fast to your dream. America needs it." — Eleanor Roosevelt  
Where would I be today without my family and friends? Thank you for everything you've done. Love always.



Nicole Lynn Positano

Hotel and Travel/Tourism Administration: Marketing Concentration Activities: Student Government Class Representative, Blue Key society

Thanks Mom and Dad for putting me through four years. Thanks Jess and Tasha for the memories!



Ellen Teresa Puglielli  
Human Development: The Psycho-Social Development of the Young  
Child  
Activities: Resident Assistant, Camp Colors



Hilary Mathewson Quinn  
Human Development: The Psycho-Social Development of the Young  
Child



Cheryl Ann Rivet  
Exercise Physiology



Mary Isabel Rocha  
Business Administration



Sage E. Sonte

Fashion and Retail Merchandising

Activities: Student Government, Junior Rep., Dorm Rep., Dean's Council, Fashion Forum  
Kim, Tasha, Nick, Laurie and Kerri you guys are the best! Thanks for all your friendship! Thanks Mom for always believing in me. I love you Mom and Dad!



Julia Maria Torres

Human Development: The Psycho-Social Development of the Young Child

Activities: Commuter Club President — 3 years, Phi Theta Kappa Treasurer, Women in Public Service — 3 years, Who's Who, Lasell Chair Recipient, Alumnae Scholarship Recipient, President's Scholarship Recipient

A special thank you to my family and friends for always believing in me. To the class of 1996: Always remember, if it is dreamable, it is achievable. "Hold fast to dreams For if dreams die Life is a broken-winged bird That cannot fly." — Langston Hughes



Heidi Watkins

Business Administration



Erin Elizabeth Whyte

Human Development: The Psycho-Social Development of the Young Child

Activities: Resident Assistant 93-96, Blue Key Society 92-95, Center For Women in Public Service, Take Back the Night Coordinator 2 years, Phi Theta Kappa, National Dean's List, Who's Who, Camp Colors 95 and 96

Meghan and Erin — Do not forget The Cask (our second home). Do you think Store 24 is still open? How about some fresh roasted peanuts, Meghan? To all my other friends, good luck, best wishes, miss you! Education, experience and memories are three things no one can ever take away!



# Baccalaureate Degree Graduates Not Pictured

Melissa E. Aieta  
Martine Altine  
Lisa Amoroso  
Vanessa M. Baquero  
Karla Bourgault  
Ellen Kewer Brown  
Laurie Jean Coletta  
Meghan Suzanne Dwan  
Carola Flores  
Mariela Flores  
Sandra Francin  
Lisa F. Giangregorio  
Alexandra L. Gossner  
Kimberly Ann Grass  
Brenda Halloran  
Kathleen Elizabeth Hurley  
Amy T. Liporace  
Carline Louissaint  
Jennifer Anne Armstrong MacDonnell  
S. Kate McClain  
Kayuri Murakami  
Deidre Lee Murphy  
Erin Murray  
Amy M. Paone  
Jessica Patrick Parr  
Angela Pica  
Stacey Louise Reynolds  
Alison Ruiz  
Amanda Topping



Jennifer Audet  
Early Childhood/Elementary Education



Beth Ann Berard  
Nursing  
For mom & Rick: A special thanks for all the times you stood by me, for all the joy you brought to my life, for all the wrong that you made right, for every dream you made come true, I'll be forever thankful, I'm everything I am because of you — Celine Dion "Because you loved me"



Erica Beradi  
Physical Therapist Assistant



Heather Bohn  
Fashion Design  
Activities: F.Y.R.E., Maturity Matters  
"I'm a few sandwiches short of a picnic"  
"Thanks mom, you're the best"



Amanda Casey  
Travel and Tourism Management



Rosa Maria Cerqueira  
Business Management  
Activities: Commuter Club Secretary 94-95,  
Commuter Club Co-President 95-96  
A very special thank you to my parents, my sister Maria, and all my friends for always being there for me. "Our deepest fear is not that we are inadequate. Our deepest fear is that we are powerful beyond measure."



Jill Cheever  
Fashion Merchandising



Jane E. Colton  
Fashion Design



Cheryl Ann Cronin  
Nursing



Shannon Crossland  
Early Childhood/Elementary Education

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Lovet C. Daley  
Nursing  
To my mother thank you very much for being there for me. You have made it all possible, you have never doubted me. I love you.

Cynthia Diaz  
Nursing  
Activities: Dean's Council  
A very special thank you to my family and friends. Natasha you are the best daughter a mother could have. Cory, I couldn't do it without you. Thaxn for believing in me. I love you! Goodbye Lasell.



Kelley Ann Forwood  
Human Services



Kaori Fujise  
Open Studies



Ayako Fukasawa  
Hotel Management



Caroline J. Guerin  
Early Childhood/Elementary Education



Mandie Su Higgins  
Fashion Merchandising



Miki Himeno  
Human Services



Samnang Ith  
Fashion Merchandising  
I want to thank my Mom and Dad for supporting me. I want to give a very special thank you to Bob who was always supportive. Also thank you to Vina who is always caring and loving with my decision making.



Allison A. Johnson  
Accounting  
Activities: Blue Key Society, Women in Business, Ball Committee, Volleyball, Softball, Crew, Basketball, Community Players  
Thanks to Julie Allen, Amy Blackmore, and Amy Martel for being the best roommates! The memories will last forever . . . and so will our friendship. "Whether you think you can or think you can't, you're right."



Mamemael Di  
Jones-Henderson  
Business Management



Melissa Ann Kelley  
Fashion Merchandising



Stephanie L. Kingsbury  
Early Childhood/Elementary Education  
Activities: Student Government, Softball 2 years, Lasell Child Care Service — Student Coordinator, Open House 95-96



Sayuri Kono  
Open Studies



Hiromi Kubo  
Travel and Tourism Management



Cary Elizabeth Langhorne  
Fashion Design  
Activities: Volleyball 94



Diem Van Le  
Fashion Design and Production



Christine Carol Lemery  
Early Childhood/Elementary Education  
Activities: Soccer, Blue Key Society, F.Y.R.E.

A great big thank you to my Mom and Dad — I'll never forget the love and support that you have given me. To all my family and friends — you've been awesome! Don't forget: Captain Hook must remember not to scratch his toes.



Amy Marie Martel  
Fashion Design and Production



Indira Marti  
Fashion Design



Rory McGrath  
Fashion Merchandising



Everlyn J. Melo  
Travel and Tourism Management



Michelle L. Miller  
Early Childhood/Elementary Education  
Activities: Soccer, Basketball, Softball,  
Mother Caroline Tutoring, Outdoor Club  
"Give the world the best you have and the  
best will come back to you."



Heather Ann Mulvihill  
Open Studies



Asuka Muto  
Travel and Tourism Management



Alexandra Nolletti  
Fashion Design  
Thank you to my family and everyone else  
who never stopped believing in me — but it's  
only half way over, but at the same time it's  
only just beginning.



Patrice Elayne  
O'Donoghue

Early Childhood/Elementary Education  
Activities: Mother Caroling Academy Tutoring Program, Blue Key Society, Lasell College Math/Science Mentoring Program, ABC Quilting Project

Congratulations Randy! Thanks for everything Mom! Two more years to go. See ya nextyear!



Emily Hammat Olson  
Fashion Merchandising



Nadine Parsons  
Accounting  
Activities: Commuter Club two years (Officer one year)



Jessica Ann Prato  
Physical Therapist Assistant



Tammy Ann Proulx  
Physical Therapist Assistant



Elizabeth-Hope Ramger  
Human Services  
Activities: Human Services Club, Center For Women in Public Service, The 1851  
To all my friends, good luck in whatever you do. A special thanks to my family, I love you. Courtney, thanks for listening. (you're my best friend) I'll miss you. Lauren and Jess, keep on smiling. Erikka, keep on dancing.



Courtney Beth Roberts  
Human Services  
Activities: Volleyball, Center For Women in Public Service 2 years, Human Service Club  
Thanks Mom, Dad, Jeff and Bess — I'll never forget all the great times we had together, I love you! To all my friends — you'll be in my heart forever 2K Tatonka. Never say goodbye, just say see ya later.



Kristen M. Ryan  
Fashion Merchandising  
Mom and Dad thank you verymuch for all the love and support that you have given to me. Keri, Peter and Jake I love you all. To my friends at Lasell, I love you all and I know we all will be friends forever.



Carrie Ann Sas  
Fashion Merchandising  
Activities: Advertising and PR Rep and Co-Producer Lasell Fashion Shows 95-96, Fashion Forum, Economics Tutor.  
A very special thank yo to my family for standing behind me every step of the way. I'll never forget the experiences, hard work, dedication, and friends that I have made in the last two years, and look forward to many more.



Minako Shima  
Hotel Management  
Activities: International Club  
Special thank you to my friends Kaori, Rie, Miyuki, Miki, Junko, Momoko, Shizuka, Sayuir and many more! Also, I'm thankful to my parents who gave me a chance to study abroad.



Suzanne Rose  
St. Hilaire  
Fashion Design and Production



Sharon Lee Tabor  
Nursing



Rie Takahashi  
Hotel Management



Aki Tokunaga  
Open Studies



Kayla Lyn Urbanek  
Early Childhood/Elementary Education



Holly J. Ventola  
Early Childhood/Elementary Education  
Activities: Mother Caroline Tutoring, Mother Caroline Math and Science Mentoring Program  
A very special thank you to all my family and friends who have helped me along the way — I could not have made it without you! Good luck to Dr. Barbara Fitzsimmons, you will be missed by many!



Nilda Maria Vidot  
Fashion Design  
Activities: Resident Assistant, Student Government Association, Programming Board, Basketball, Umoja-Nia  
Thank you God for letting me get this far. Thank you to my family for being there and giving me support.



Sydjua Noelia Walker  
Travel and Tourism Management



Yoshiko Watanabe  
Open Studies



Victoria Lynn Wynott  
Open Studies  
Activities: Lasell Community Players



Rie Yoshimura  
Open Studies



Jami-Lynn Zaiataz  
Early Childhood/Elementary Education



Julie Lynn Zannini  
Early Childhood/Elementary Education  
Activities: Blue Key Society, Mother Caroline Academy, ABC Quilting Project  
Thank you very much Mom, Dad, Jen and Mike! Have a great summer everyone! See you soon!

# Associate Degree Graduates Not Pictured

Natachat Chant Altenor  
Maria L. Aucello  
Rebecca Anne Bailey  
Angela Mary Beckwith  
Tammy Frances Benoit  
Veronica M. Boschetti  
Allison Leslie Bragner  
Alicia M. Breault  
Stacey Jan Brennan  
Samantha A. Briggs  
Donna M. Carpenter  
Christine Casey  
Urit Chaimovitz  
Christiana J. Chamatsos  
Ping S. Chaw  
Bonnie B. Cleveland  
Mirella Ibett Colacchio  
Brie Coughlin  
Kristina Lee Cruz  
Loret C. Daley  
Angela A. DelFavaro  
Shannon Anne DeMello  
Alicia M. Dennison  
Rosetta DiCenso  
Orietta Silvana DiGiacomo  
Susan A. Doherty  
Randi Lyn Dotoli  
Kristin Leigh Earl  
Nazende Ekmekcioglu  
Clareann Fay  
Heidi Fernandes  
Cara Elizabeth Finck  
Carola Flores  
Mariela Flores  
Linda R. Fogel  
Jennifer Rae Fowler  
Danielle Fournier  
Lisa Teresa Gallinelli  
Lauren Ann Giannattasio  
Ellen Marie Gorman  
Julie Ann Graboski  
Andrea Lynne Guerin  
Jennifer S. Gustafson  
Sheri Lynn Hartnett  
Nicole Marie Hurley  
Nika Latrese Annette Jones  
Junko Kanda  
Nancy Aurora Koen  
Melinda Renee Kovac  
Megumi Leach  
Sandra A. Leonardi  
Patricia Anne Lewis  
Michelle Elizabeth Lipszer  
Aimee Gabrielle Lombardo  
Jessica Ann Lombardo  
Christina P. Longchamp  
Jill Dorothy Loranger  
Joudette M. Louizia  
Doris MacAllister  
Susanne M. Malouf  
Stacey Anne Maloney  
Jessica Lynn Mansolf  
Cynthia Marie McCarthy  
Christine Marie McDade  
Tina Marie Montgomery  
Judith Maraline Muhammad  
Leigh-Anne Murphy  
Deborah Ann Murray  
Susann Elizabeth Myers  
Michelle Ann Myska  
Carol E. Nesbitt  
Jessica Patrick Parr  
Alicia D. Perez  
Beth A. Portlock  
Amy Provencal  
Sonia Melissa Provost  
Carolyn M. Pyne  
Adrienne Louise Reid  
B. Jill Runnion  
Yuliana A. Shapiro  
Theresa M. Shannon  
Jenny Simpson  
Kimberly Jean Simpson  
Stella Maria Sousa  
Kimberly Marie Stephan  
Melissa Anne Sweeney  
Heather Ann Swonguer  
M. Francoise Sylvain  
Stephanie Theresa Taylor  
Courtney Janus Tent  
Deborah Ann Thorndyke  
Deborah Leigh Thress  
Beth Van Patten-Steiger  
Laura C. Volante  
Tina M. Weidner



JAPAN EXCHANGE VISIT 1995



BORN TO RIDE.

WHERE'S THE FIRE?

STUDENTS:

JESSICA CARTER  
JOSIE GAGE  
EVELYN MELO



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ICE CRÈPE ANYONE?





WHO NEEDS A FISH NET?!



UP UP UP AND AWAY!



THIS ONE IS ME!

FACULTY:  
ANDRÉ VAN DE PUTTE

JUST LIKE THE  
BACK IN BOSTON.



# Remember When . . . World History 1995-1996

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**CAL RIPKEN'S STREAK** — For months, baseball fans were talking about The Streak. With each game he played, Baltimore Orioles shortstop Cal Ripken, Jr. drew one game closer to breaking one of baseball's "unbreakable" records. In 1995, Ripken not only equaled it = he surpassed it! On September 6, 1995, Ripken took the field, as he had done in every Orioles game since May 30, 1982, to play against the California Angels. This was consecutive games 2,131 = but not until the fifth inning, when baseball games become official. When the fifth inning came, fireworks exploded and cameras flashed, as 10-foot banners bearing "2-1-3-1" were unfurled in the outfield stands of Baltimore's Camden Yards. The fans stood and cheered for Ripken, who emerged from the dugout and gave his jersey to his wife and two children. His teammates pushed the reluctant Ripken back out onto the ballpark, shaking hands with the fans. The ovation lasted 22 minutes. Befitting a hero, Ripken hit a home run in the game won by the Orioles 4-2.



**O.J. SIMPSON VERDICT** — On October 1, 1995, the long-running, real-life soap opera played its final episode. In "the trial of the century," O.J. Simpson was acquitted in the June 12, 1994, stabbing murder of his former wife, Nicole Brown Simpson, and her friend Ronald Goldman. Americans followed the trial for more than a year, listening to testimony, digesting the evidence and speculating on whether the former football superstar and film actor was guilty. The jury reached its verdict in less than four hours deliberation after listening to 133 days of testimony and considering more than 800 pieces of evidence. It was a case that would leave Americans with many lasting images: A white Ford Bronco leading a police chase; Simpson trying on "the murder gloves" in court; The testimony of prosecution witness Police Detective Mark Fuhrman, whose credibility was later destroyed when it was shown that he lied under oath about his use of racial epithets. In a statement made soon after his acquittal, Simpson, vowed he would dedicate his life to a search for the real killers.



**NEWT GINGRICH** — In January 1995, Newt Gingrich became the first Republican Speaker of the House in 40 years. The 51-year-old Georgia Congressman had his sights set on this position even before he won a House seat on his third try in 1976. Gingrich, narrowly elected as majority whip in 1989, saw his goal in reach when the GOP won a majority of Congressional seats in 1994 and when Minority Leader Robert Michel declined to run for another term. Gingrich has proven adept at grabbing headlines and preaching morality. In 1989, he drove Speaker Jim Wright from office with relentless attacks of ethics violations. In 1994, he used drugs, a charge that remains unsubstantiated. Gingrich helped orchestrate the /"Contract With America" as the GOP's national agenda in the 1994 elections. It called for a balanced-budget amendment, welfare reform and anti-crime package. In April 1995, his prime-time televised speech marked the first time a congressional leader received such coverage. In the address, Gingrich summarized the first 100 days of the new Congress.





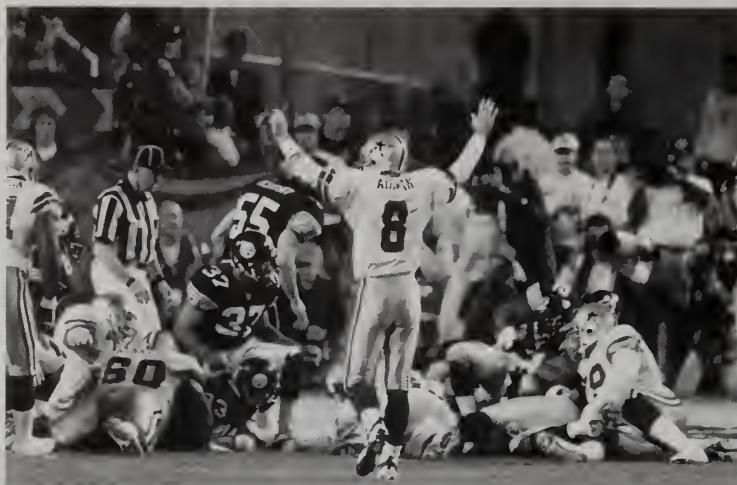
**POPE JOHN PAUL II VISITS UNITED STATES** — For a few days, a religious man dominated the headlines. And for a change, it gave Americans something good to talk about. The newsmaker was Pope John Paul II, and the occasion was his visit to the United States in early October 1995. The 75-year-old pontiff began his five-day visit by addressing the United Nations General Assembly in conjunction with the organization's 50th anniversary. During his stay, the pope celebrated outdoor Mass in both New York and New Jersey. Rainy, windy weather did little to dampen the spirits of the faithful who gathered to hear him speak, catch a glimpse of him or even touch him as he swept past. In Baltimore (MD), he addressed an audience at the baseball stadium and lunched at a soup kitchen before flying back to Rome. Throughout his visit, the pope called for greater attention to the needs of the less fortunate.



**JERRY GARCIA** — The leader of the Grateful Dead was gone. Jerry Garcia, co-founder of rock music's the Grateful Dead, died of a heart attack while in a drug rehabilitation center in suburban San Francisco. The guitarist, composer and singer passed away on August 9, 1995, just eight days after his 53rd birthday. Deadheads, as the group's followers were known, quickly gathered to note the passing of their fallen leader. Crowds formed in public areas in San Francisco, Garcia's hometown, and in other cities to share their loss. A single red rose was tied to a tree in front of the San Francisco address where the Dead began in 1964. The Grateful Dead blended rock, bluegrass and folk flavors into their own sound. Although studio recordings by the group were rare — the most recent was released in 1989 — the Grateful Dead remained a very popular concert attraction. Jerry Garcia had the rare distinction of having an ice cream flavor named for him — Ben & Jerry "Cherry Garcia." The company's founders said that Garcia had inspired their business philosophy.



**WOMEN'S CONFERENCE IN CHINA** — It was Hillary Clinton's first visit to China, and she made it a memorable one. In a speech to the United Nation's Fourth World Conference on Women, the first lady took on the world. Her speech, delivered on September 5, 1995, made a call for human rights and freedom of expression, and she said that it was indefensible that many women who registered for the conference were denied visas or were unable to fully participate. Mrs. Clinton surprised her audience and the host nation by rebuking Beijing for its treatment of private activists who said they were harassed by authorities during a parallel forum held in Huairou, China, just 30 miles away. The conference platform called for measures to alleviate women's poverty, and improve health care, job opportunities and education.



**SUPER BOWL XXX** — Despite playing nowhere near their best, the Dallas Cowboys won their third Super Bowl in four seasons on January 18 (1996), beating Pittsburgh 27-17. And they did it behind the heroics of cornerback Larry Brown, whose career has been spent in the shadow of glamour guys named Troy, Michael, Emmitt and Denion. "We did it! We did it!" exulted coach Barry Switzer. With this win, the Cowboys placed themselves in elite company. No team has gotten that many super Bowl titles in such blue-collar workers who won twice under Jimmy Johnson, went just as far with the oft-maligned Barry Switzer. Switzer had a trying two seasons as Johnson's replacement. His every move was dissected, and when he goofed = as in the fourth-and-1 play at Philadelphia that was the low point in the season for Dallas = he was vilified. Switzer, just like his outgoing, often outrageous players, has earned the right to brag.

**AMTRAK CRASH** — The news was terrible: Amtrak train derailed while crossing a trestle in a remote desert region of Arizona, 55 miles southwest of Phoenix. What made the news even worse was the suspicion of sabotage. Occurring around 1 A.M. on October 9, 1995, the derailment of four of its cars into the gulch 30 feet below the trestle. One person was killed and more than 70 were injured. The derailment was caused by the removal of a metal bar that held two sections of rail together. The culprit installed a wire, disabling a light that would have warned the train's crew about the break. The saboteur's apparent knowledge about the warning system led to speculation that it might be the work of a railroad employee. Found at the scene was a letter that made reference to the federal sieges at Waco, Texas, and Ruby Ridge, Idaho, and also mentioned the FBI and the Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco and Firearms. It was signed "Sons of Gestapo." The letter raised fears that the derailment was the work of anti-government terrorists, although experts in the field were unfamiliar with the signature.



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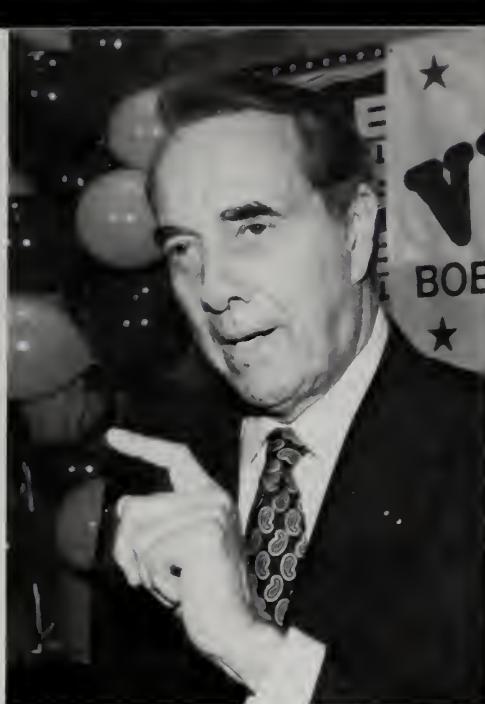


**GRAF DEFEATS SELES AT U.S. OPEN** — It was a match between two players vying for the top position in women's tennis. On September 9, 1995, Germany's Steffi Graf emerged as #1 as she beat Monica Seles of New York to win her fourth U.S. Open title. For Graf, it was the third consecutive Grand Slam title, coming after victories at Wimbledon and at the French Open. "Nothing can ever come close to this one. I had a lot of obstacles to climb over," said Graf, who played with a bone bruise on one foot. Another complication was Graf's father who was serving time in a German prison on tax-fraud charges. In spite of her defeat on the tennis court, Monica Seles feels like a victor in sorts. This loss was the first in a dozen matches that marked her inspired return to the sport after a two-year absence. Seles had been stabbed in the back by a deranged fan at a match in Hamburg, Germany. "It has been very exciting to me playing again," Seles said. "As long as I keep having fun, that's what is going to matter to me the most."





THE RELEASE OF HARRY WU — On August 24, 1995, human rights activist Harry Wu set foot on American soil after being imprisoned in China for 66 days. We, a native of China and a naturalized U.S. citizen, had been taken into custody on June 19 while trying to enter China at a remote border crossing. He was convicted on charges of stealing state secrets and was sentenced to 15 years in prison. Within hours, however, he was released and deported, in an apparent attempt to improve delicate relations between the United States and China. Wu's trip to China had been one of several clandestine treks he had made since 1991 for the purpose of researching and filming evidence of abuses in China's prison labor camps. His efforts had resulted in television documentaries that gained international attention. It was a hero's welcome that greeted Wu as he stepped off the plane at San Francisco International Airport. Crowded around his wife, Ching-Lee, were dozens of supporters carrying "Welcome Home" signs, yellow ribbons and roses. A few days after his return, Wu and his wife cut down the yellow ribbon that had been hanging throughout his imprisonment on the City Hall of his hometown of Gilroy, California.



BOB DOLE CAMPAIGN — "Why do you want to be president?" asked the TV host. "Every country needs a president," replied Republican Senator Bob Dole. In April 1995 the Kansas Senator became the sixth Republican to formally declare his candidacy for a move into the White House in 1996. This is the third presidential attempt for Dole, who unsuccessfully ran in Republican primaries in 1980 and 1988. His intention is to cut taxes, balance the budget and "lead Americans back to her place in the sun." Dole began his political career in 1951, serving in the Kansas legislature. He served in the House of Representatives from 1961 through 1969 and has been a Senator since. Dole's latest bid to become president does not have precedence on its side = only three have sitting Senators been elected President. Age is another factor that may discourage voters. If elected, Dole would be 73 years old upon entering office. This would make him the oldest newly elected president in history.



WORLD SERIES — The Cleveland Indians and the Atlanta Braves squared off in the first World Series in two years. This was, perhaps, the first between teams with politically incorrect nicknames. The hard-hitting Indians compiled a lofty team batting average of .291 for the season, while the Braves' pitching staff, led by Greg Maddux (19-2), was widely acknowledged to be the game's best. It was a Series of the bats vs. the arms. And in the end, the arms were held aloft in triumph. The Braves won the Series in six games, after taking a two-games-to-none lead in their home park. They won the Series on their return to Atlanta with a 1-0 victory marked by David Justice's home run and the one-hit pitching of Tom Glavine, who was named Series MVP.



COLIN POWELL — In September, 1995, Colin Powell embarked on a cross-country book tour to promote his autobiography, "My American Journey." As he did this, he also promoted the motion that his next journey might be along the campaign trail, seeking the presidency of the United States in 1996. Powell, 58 years old, is the former chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff, the first African-American person to hold that position. He rose to fame through his leadership in the Persian Gulf war. The views expressed by Powell seem to leave him out of either mainstream Republicans or Democrats. In his book, he asserts his belief in free enterprise and lower taxes, and says that he is put off by "patronizing liberals." He does, however, support women's rights, gun control and was alarmed by a "troubling mix of politics and religion" at the 1992 Republican convention. He sees himself as the "sensible center of the American political spectrum," declaring no allegiance to any political party.



**HURRICANE OPAL** — On the evening of October 4, 1995, Hurricane Opal came ashore on Florida's Gulf Coast, packing sustained winds of 125 miles per hour. Before it was through, the storm had killed at least 20 people in four states and caused at least \$1.8 billion in damages to insured properties, making it the third-costliest storm in U.S. history. Hurricane Opal swung east toward Florida after striking Mexico's Yucatan Peninsula. The storm destroyed or damaged thousands of homes and businesses along a 120-mile stretch of the Florida Panhandle. Many of its residents were still recovering from and repairing damage inflicted by Hurricane Erin two months earlier. Opal caused the sea to rise 15 feet and sweep away nearly everything on the lower floors of homes and businesses along the Gulf Coast. Power outages were widespread, and there were many incidents of looting. Some of the hurricane's victims were allowed to return home a week after fleeing, even though water, electricity and sewer services had not been restored. Others, from more severely damaged areas, had to wait longer.

**MIDEAST PEACE ACCORD\*** — "The sight you see before you . . . was impossible, was unthinkable, just three years ago," Israel's Prime Minister Yitzhak Rabin told those present at the East Room of the White House. The "sight" was the September 28, 1995, signing of an accord between Israel and the PLO that would end Israel's military occupation of West Bank cities and lay the foundation for a Palestinian state. President Clinton presided over the ceremony which featured two hours of speeches and pageantry before an audience of diplomats, foreign ministers, Cabinet secretaries and members of Congress. The agreement outlines the process for gradual withdrawal of Israeli troops and transfer of governing authority for Palestinian self-rule in 30 percent of the West Bank. It also allows for Palestinian elections and the release of 5,000 Palestinian prisoners being held by Israel.

**\* RABIN ASSASSINATION** — Prime Minister Yitzhak Rabin was shot to death by a Jewish extremist in Israel on Saturday, November 4, 1995, moments after telling cheering thousands that "people really want peace." Rabin was a war hero who became a peacemaker, and police said an Israeli described by friends as a right-winger confessed to firing the fatal shots. Rabin, 73, had descended from a city hall balcony and was about to get into his limousine when the gunman fired three bullets from close range, hitting him in the back and stomach. As crowd members surged toward the shooting scene, Rabin's car raced to Tel Aviv's Ichilov Hospital. The assassination = the first of an Israeli leader since the founding of the state in

**MILLION MAN MARCH** — The gathering in Washington, D.C. October 16, 1995, was tremendous. Hundreds of thousands of African-American men converged on the nation's capital in response to the call from Louis Farrakhan, the Nation of Islam's leader, to rally to unity and brotherhood. It was the fourth-largest demonstration in Washington's history, and the largest predominately African-American gathering. There were dozens of speakers, including civil rights veterans Rosa Parks, Dick Gregory and the Reverend Jesse Jackson. Stevie Wonder sang, and Maya Angelou read a poem that urged men to do right by themselves and "save your race." The rally's climax was Farrakhan's speech in which he led the men in a pledge to "never raise my hand with a knife or gun to beat, cut or shoot . any human being." He urged the rally to join organizations, gain political control, fight racism and rid their neighborhoods of crime, drugs and violence.

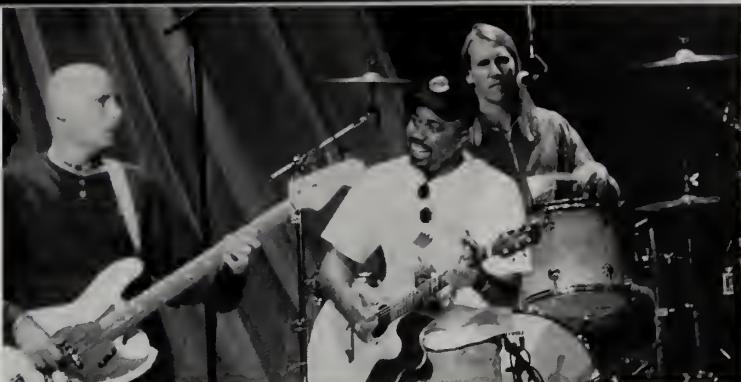


1948 — stunned the nation. World leaders from President Clinton to Yasser Arafat reacted with sorrow and outrage, declaring that the peace process would continue. **PRESIDENT CLINTON** = President Bill Clinton entered the third year of his term as no president has done for 40 years = with a Republican Congress. As he began this year, he resolved to "put aside partisan differences." In April 1995, the Senate passed a bill that cut \$16 billion from various social programs while sparing other items favored by Clinton. Although the President called the bill "the

model of how we can work together," the gap remained wide over such issues as tax cuts, welfare reform and spending reduction. Although cautious in dealing with the new Congress, Clinton has raised his profile and taken a firm stand on issues. He said he would try to work with the Republicans on their agenda, but would "no doubt" veto some of their proposals. On April 14, 1995, Clinton filed the necessary documents with the Federal Election Commission and made formal his candidacy for re-election.



**OKLAHOMA CITY BOMBING** — On April 19, 1995, a car bomb exploded in Oklahoma City (OK), destroying the Alfred P. Murrah Federal Building and killing scores of men, women and young children. The force of the blast tore off the building's facade and sent it flying 50 feet across the street, where it slammed into another building and came to rest in a parking lot. With the outer wall of the building suddenly gone, workers tumbled out of their offices and into the street where the blast had carved a crater 30 feet wide. Shortly after the explosion, Timothy McVeigh, a Gulf War veteran was arrested for carrying a concealed weapon. Two days later, he was recognized as one of the bombing suspects and was charged. McVeigh's trial is pending.



**MTV AWARDS** — This summer is seemed as though Hootie and the Blowfish were playing every time you turned on the radio. The four-man rock group that seemed to come out of nowhere and dominate the audio scene did not go unnoticed on the video scene. Hootie, featuring vocals by lead singer Darius Rucker, won an MTV award for best new artist for their video, "Hold My Hand." The presentation was made at the 12th annual MTV Video Music Awards held in September 1995 at Radio City Music Hall in New York. Dennis Miller hosted the ceremony, which included awards to Tom Petty for best male video, "You Don't Know How It Feels," and Madonna for best female video, "Take A Bow." TLC won video of the year for "Waterfalls," a cautionary AIDS song. While presenting best rap video award to Dr. Dre, Madonna lashed out a Republican presidential candidate Bob Dole for his previous criticism of the violent, sexist lyrics of some rap records. Biggest winner of the night: TLC and Weezer, each of whom had to make room on their mantels for four awards.



**U.S. TROOPS ARRIVE IN BOSNIA** — The first U.S. Apache and Blackhawk helicopters roared into Bosnia on December 24 (1995), a tangible sign of a NATO mission commanders said was on target and taking control of front-line positions. While the eight American helicopters, part of the 1st Armored Di-

vision, were arriving in the northern city of Tuzla, the headquarters for U.S. troops, French soldiers were extending control in Sarajevo, where a curfew was lifted for Christmas Eve and Christmas. French troops seized front-line checkpoints north of the city, and took over part of a large resort in Serb-held

Iliidza also reached agreement with Serbs and the Muslim-led government on an initial pull-back from front-line positions around the Bosnian capital. In Sarajevo itself, the city's people strolled peaceful streets into early morning. Hope came with Christmas. **CONFLICT IN BOSNIA** — Despite continued NATO air strikes and U.N. peace efforts, the conflict in the former Yugoslavia rages on, with no letup in sight. 1995 began with a four month cease-fire mediated by former United States President Jimmy Carter, but the truce didn't put an end to the fighting. The former Yugoslavia has been the scene of a civil war since June 1991, and the fighting intensified in 1992 after the republic of Bosnia-Herzegovina declared its independence. Bosnian Serbs, seeking independence from Bosnia, began their siege of the capital, Sarajevo, as the European community and the United States formally recognized Bosnia. More than 200,000 people have been killed or are missing since the fighting began. In May 1995, NATO planes attacked Serb ammunition depots. The Serbs responded by attacking "safe areas," killing many and taking hundreds of U.N. F-16 over northern Bosnia. The pilot, Air Force Captain Scott O'Grady, hid for six days until he was rescued by U.S. Marines. The conflict and the peace talks continue.

# MESSAGES TO FRIENDS

## To Carissa Templeton

To my best friend in the world I love you very much. When I leave you will always be in my heart forever.

Love, Pica.

## To Adrie Reid

Adrie thanks for everything you throughout my five years here. You've been a great friend.

Love always, Jenn Share

## To Vickie Wynott

Vickie Lynn always remember Lip Sync 96 Supermodel work Cover Girl. You've been a very sweet friend. Love you.

Jenn Share

## To Christine McDade

Hey Snoopy Have a great summer and don't forget to write.

Love Charlie Brown, Jenn Share

## To Sandra Francin

Sandra thanks for all your support and help throughout all my stressful times. Write and call often. Love you!

Jenn Share

## To Jenn

Thanks for a fun year! Look out N.J.! Good luck!

Christine

## To Ellen

Hey partner! Where's the Big Mouth? We want medium regular and juice for Jonathan. VICTORY! You made it. We love you.

Jean and Flippy

## To Marsha

GO GO GO Marsha! You'll make it someday. GO GO GO Marsha! What else can we say? Thanks for everything. We love you.

Jean and Patti

## To Lasell Community

Four years have come and gone. I want to thank every person who has helped me through the hard times and have shared the good times. I will miss you all.

Love, Marsha

## To Courtney Tent

Court = The past two years with you have been indescribable! Good luck in the real world. We love U.

Jess, Marina, Tess

## To Jen Audet

You've become one of my best friends. I'll always remember our "girly nights" and our long talks.

Love, Christine

## To Martine A.

You are a special person and friend. Your friendship is a gift that is deeply appreciated. Good luck!

Love always, your Lasell Sister,  
Loan

## To Mayumi I.

Though our adventure at Lasell ends, I hope our paths in life will intersect always. Good luck at Columbia!

Love always, your Lasell Sister,  
Loan

## To Jen N.

Well, it's finally over! We've had some good memories! Remember the good and forget the bad!

Love, Traci

## To Tara

You go girl! You have your whole life ahead of you! Knock 'em dead 'cause you're a senior and you rule!

Love, Traci

**To Adrie**

You are awesome! Don't ever change! I know you can do whatever you put your mind to!

Love, Traci

**To Amy Martel**

"Life's like a box of chocolate, you never know what you're gonna get!"

Love, Traci

**To my Woodland friends**

Good luck in the future. Aim for the sky!

Love, Traci

**To Junko**

What can I say, but that you are awesome!

Love, Traci

**To Kim**

Life's been great! Volleyball rules! Have a great summer! Come visit me in Ordway next year!

Heidi

**To Jinkel**

Late nights at Sandys! Flying pucks! Don't run away from the man! Zach is a liar! BK! Elevator Emergency!

Sprimmy

**To Jinkel**

We have solved the age old problem between friends at the cafe; are the sprinkles or jimmies?

Sprimmy

**To Jinkel**

Whoomp, there Don is! Isn't it ironic? Want to be Phill's girlfriend? Hit Heidi with your best shot! Fire away!

Sprimmy

**To Jinkel**

Do you ever fight with your friends in the cafe about whether or not they are sprinkles or jimmies

Sprimmy

**To Mush n' Jivel**

Lie down on the porch, a car is coming! Don't light the bar on fire! Hide the Mac N' Cheese! Sprimmy

**To Mush n' Jivel**

Life has been great! You have turned me into a rebel. Next time don't let me run away from the man!

Sprimmy

**To Little Mush**

Get the fist murders! Give the fish to Little Mush! Don't blow the tanks away! Put an add in the paper.

BM

**To Jinkel**

297YSO white cars are coming towards us. Don't pee in anymore cups in Peabody! 65cents for the damn cup!

Sprimmy

**To Rachel**

Hope I didn't barge in too much. I will try not to shock you too much next year! You have to come and visit the block!

Heidi

**To Rebecca**

First semester was a blast. Movie nights, snow shopping, sledding, and the 1851. We have got to do that again!

Heidi

**To Stacie**

Remind me not to go anywhee with Michelle after she has a flood in her room.

Heidi

**To Amy**

Hey Girlfriend, what's up? You are the best PPWacker! I love ya Aim. Take care.

Alli Ba Ba

# FRIENDS





## FAMILY & FRIENDS

To Loan Ngo



Cheers for the winner, we knew you would be!

Love, Mom and Dad

To Heather Mulvihill

Congratulations! You said you could, you tried and you did it! Words can't express our pride. What an accomplishment!

Love, Mom, Dad and Kelly

To Jean M. Petrino

We are proud of your years of hard work. Praise God for answered prayers!

Love, Mom and Peter

To Heather Swonguer



Congratulations on earning high honors, you have made us very proud. We wish you success as a new PTA.

Love, Mom and Dad

To Sage Stone



Congratulations. We're very proud of you.  
Love, Dad and Carol

To Rie Yoshimura

Congratulations! Rie, your  
will is so strong! Rie, you al-  
ways do your best! Because  
we have seen your effort we  
are so proud of you, Rie!  
With Love, Dad and Mom

To Allison Anne



Congratulations on earning your first degree.  
Now just two more to go. You are the best.  
Love, Mom and Dad

To Melissa Kelley



Wow! What a great job you did. We are all  
very proud of you.  
Lots of success in all your future endeavors.  
Love, Mom, Dad, Tim and David

To Heidi Lundgren

You are doing great! You are the best! I am so proud of you! You are my favorite daughter! Always know I love you!  
Love, Mom

To Courtney Roberts

You are a beautiful person inside and out, a daughter, sister and friend! We are so very proud of you! Congratulations.

Love, Mom, Dad, Colby, Beth and Jeff

To Bilail Huff

Congratulations. You make us all very proud of you. Keep up the good work. Keep working hard.

Love, Mom, Dad and family

To Mahvish Monnoo



Good luck. We are proud of you. Work hard and make your future. Love, Monnoo family

To Nadene Parsons

We always knew you could do it. We're very proud of you.  
Love, Dad, Mom, Buster and Nana

To Nicole Positano

Congratulations on all your hard work. You have done a great job. We are very proud of you.  
Love, Mom and Dad

To Bess Ramger

Congratulations! Keep up the good work. We're very proud of you.  
Love, Mom, Dad and Chrissy

To Erin Peacock

Congratulations. May all your hopes and dreams come true. We are very proud of you.  
Love, Mom, Dad, Michael, Marlene and Craig

To Kate McClain

Congratulations! We are very proud of you. You did a great job. Love, Mom and Dad

To Raneesha Banks



Congratulations on your first year at college. Keep up the hard work. We all miss you. Love, your Father and Mother

To Michelle Lane



You have worked very hard and have done such a great job. We are very proud of you! Congratulations! Love, Mom and Dad

To Kerry Kaufman

Congratulations on all your hard work. We are proud of you! Love, Mom, Dad and Bailey

To Becky Bailey



Congratulations on all your hard work. We are all proud of you.

Love, Mom, Dad, Jen and Mel

To Irene Milonopoulos

Congratulations. We are very proud of you and your stamina.

This is your first step toward being a professional nurse.

Love, Mom and Dad

To Jodi Crafts



Congratulations Jodi. We love you so much and are so proud of all your hard work. You are a parent's dream of a perfect daughter.

Love, Mom, Dad and Little Sister

To Emily Fidelia



Congratulations. We are so proud of you! You have done an excellent job.

Love Mom, and Dad

To Marina Silveira



Keep up the good work. We are so proud of you. We love you. God bess you. Love always, Mom, Dad and Bryan. I am proud of you Nerd. Love, Sonya. Marina it's another I love you. Merda  
Love, Mom, Dad, Bryan, Madrinha, Merda and Sonya

To Sheri Hartnett

Congratulations on obtaining your Associate Degree! Best of luck as you pursue your Bachelor's Degree.

Love, your proud family

To Mary Jones

Congratulations on all your hard work. We are very proud of you.

Love, Mom and Dad

To Victoria Wynott



You must feel good about your achievements in Lasell and so are we. Hard work has its rewards. Congratulations.  
Love, Dad, Linda and Corinne

Congratulations!

Fond wishes  
to the  
Lasell College  
Associate and  
Baccalaureate  
1996 graduates!



*May your education help  
fulfill all your dreams and ambitions...*

*President  
Thomas E. J. de Witt*

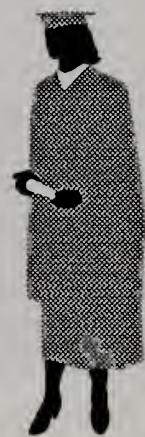
The Alumnae Association  
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*Congratulations!*



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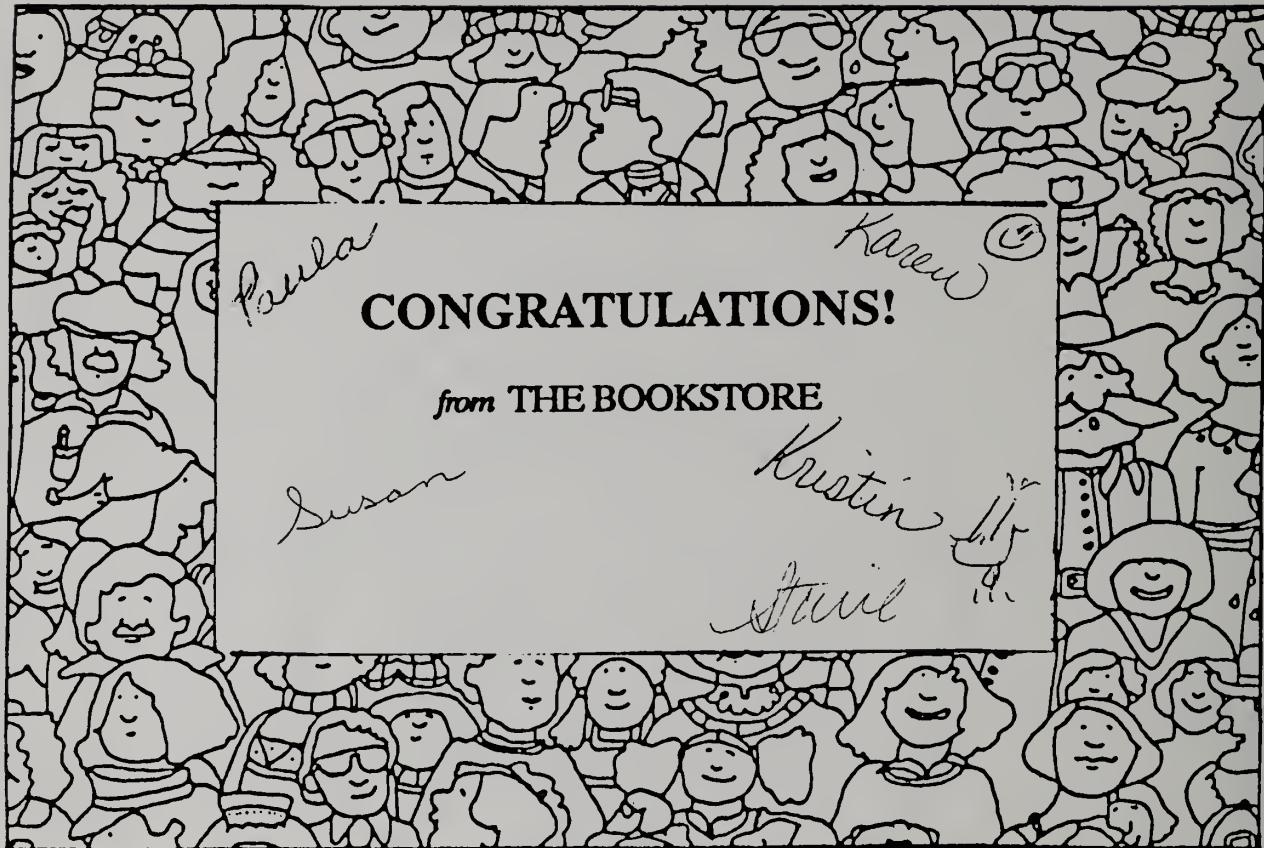


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*PTA Faculty*



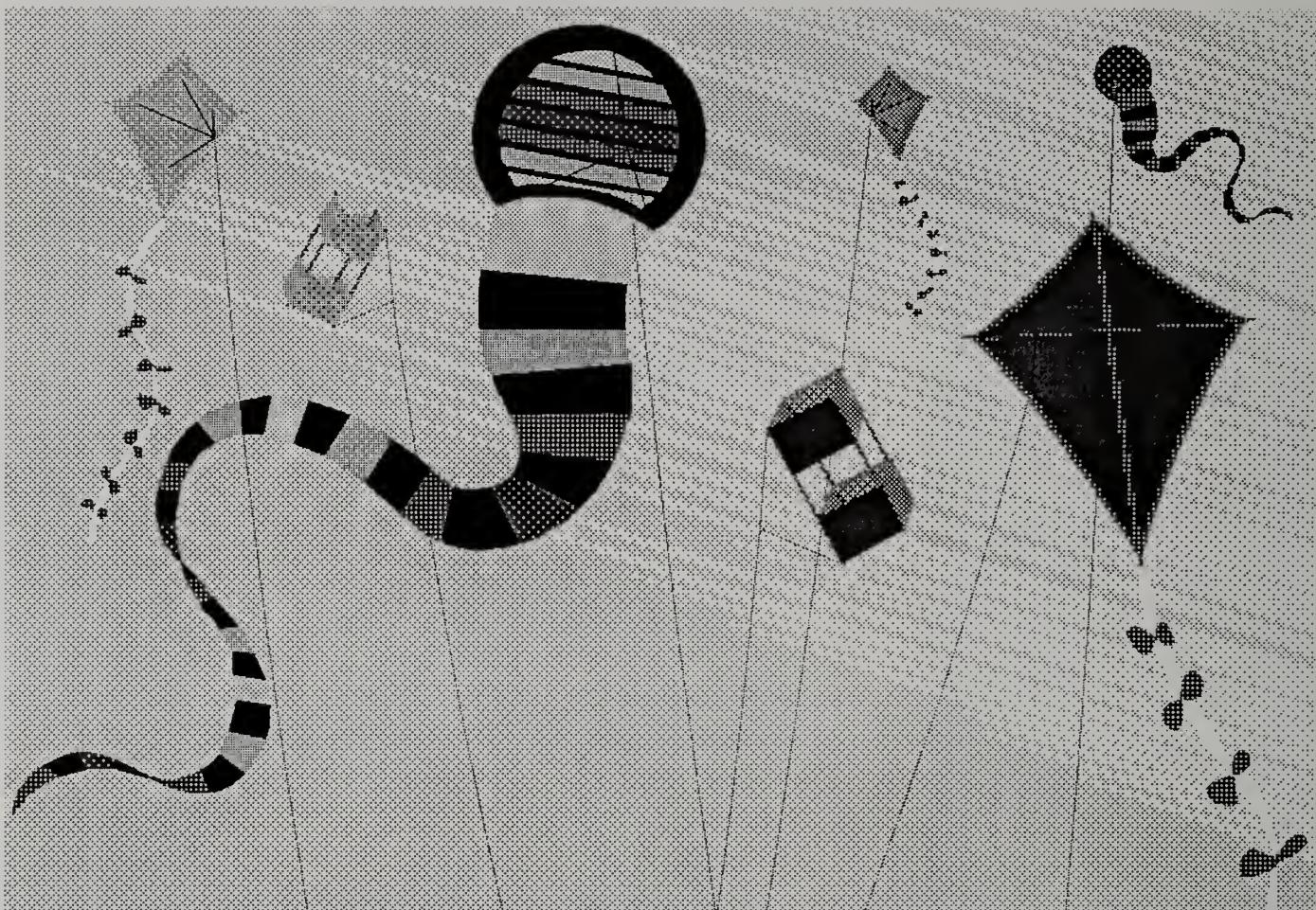


**BEST WISHES  
TO THE  
CLASS OF 1996  
From your friends  
in the  
Lasell Business Office!**

Congratulations  
to the  
graduating  
Class of 1996!

Buildings &  
Grounds Dept.





To accomplish great things, we must  
not only act but also dream, not only  
plan but also believe.

-Anatole France

Congratulations! Best Wishes!  
From the Counseling Center  
Janice Fletcher, Catherine Coombs

Congratulations and  
Best Wishes from the  
Fashion Programs!



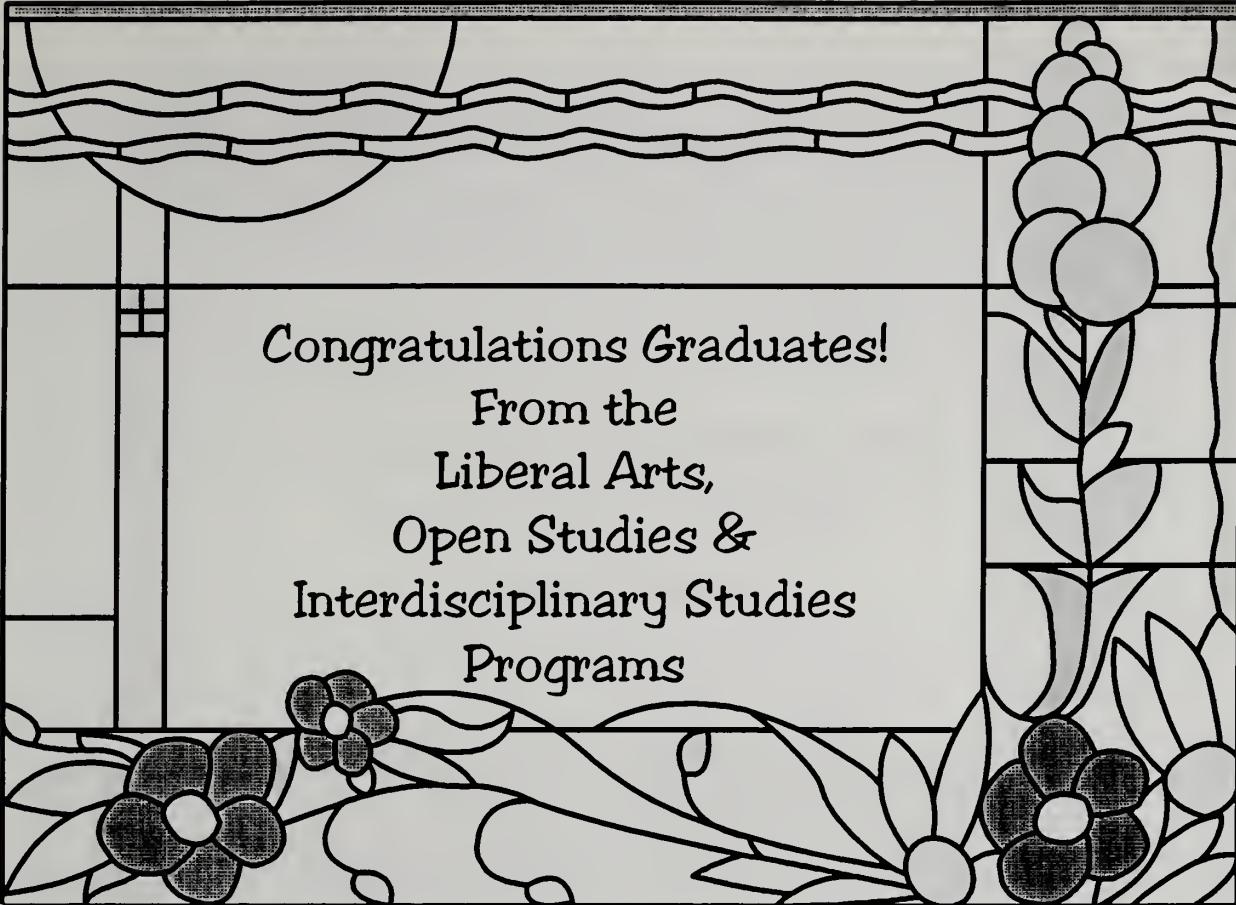
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WOULD LIKE TO WISH ALL OF THIS  
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HAPPY, AND PROSPEROUS FUTURE.

## **CONGRATULATIONS!**

*OMEDETO GOZAGMAS!*

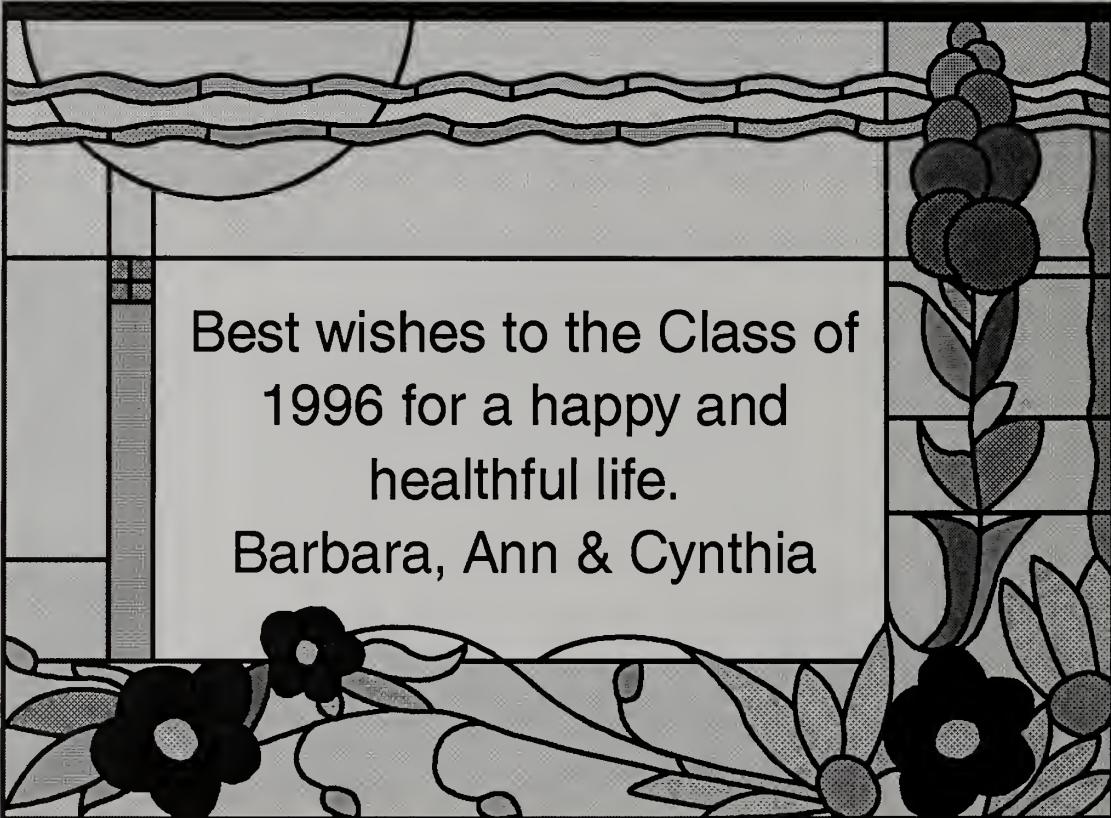
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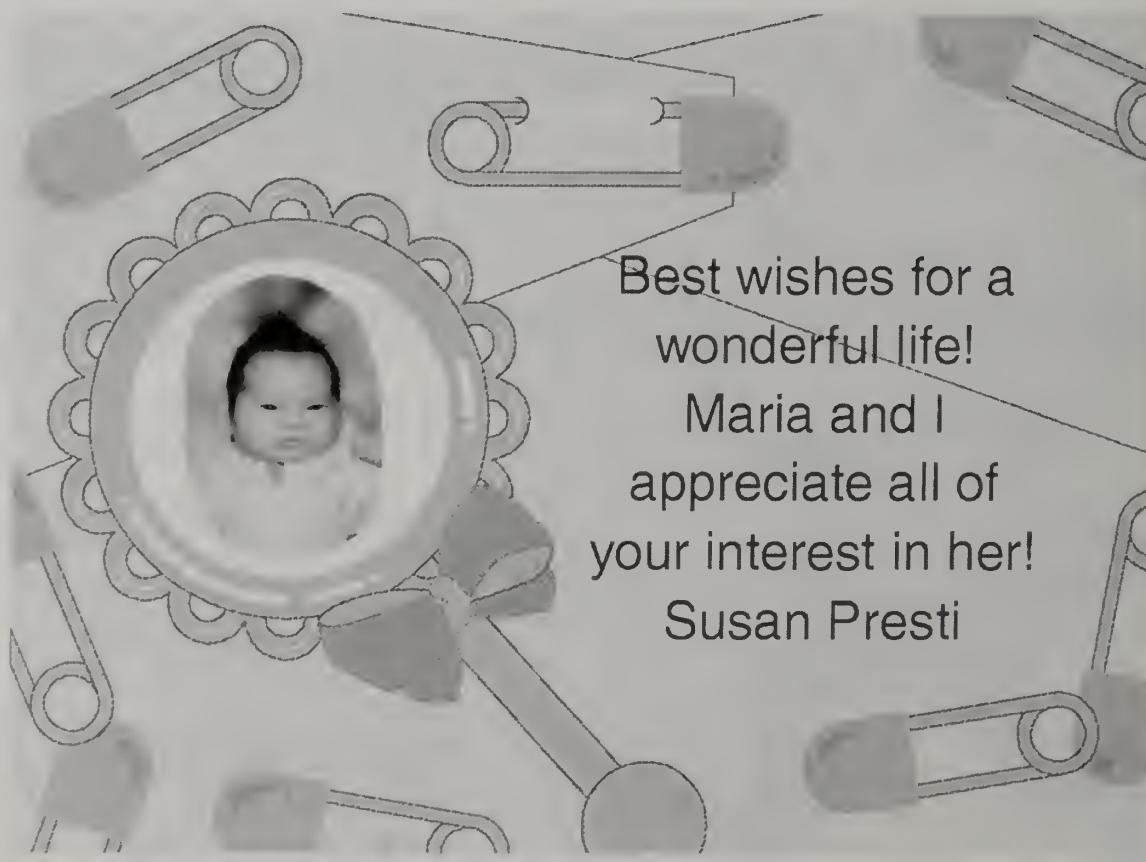
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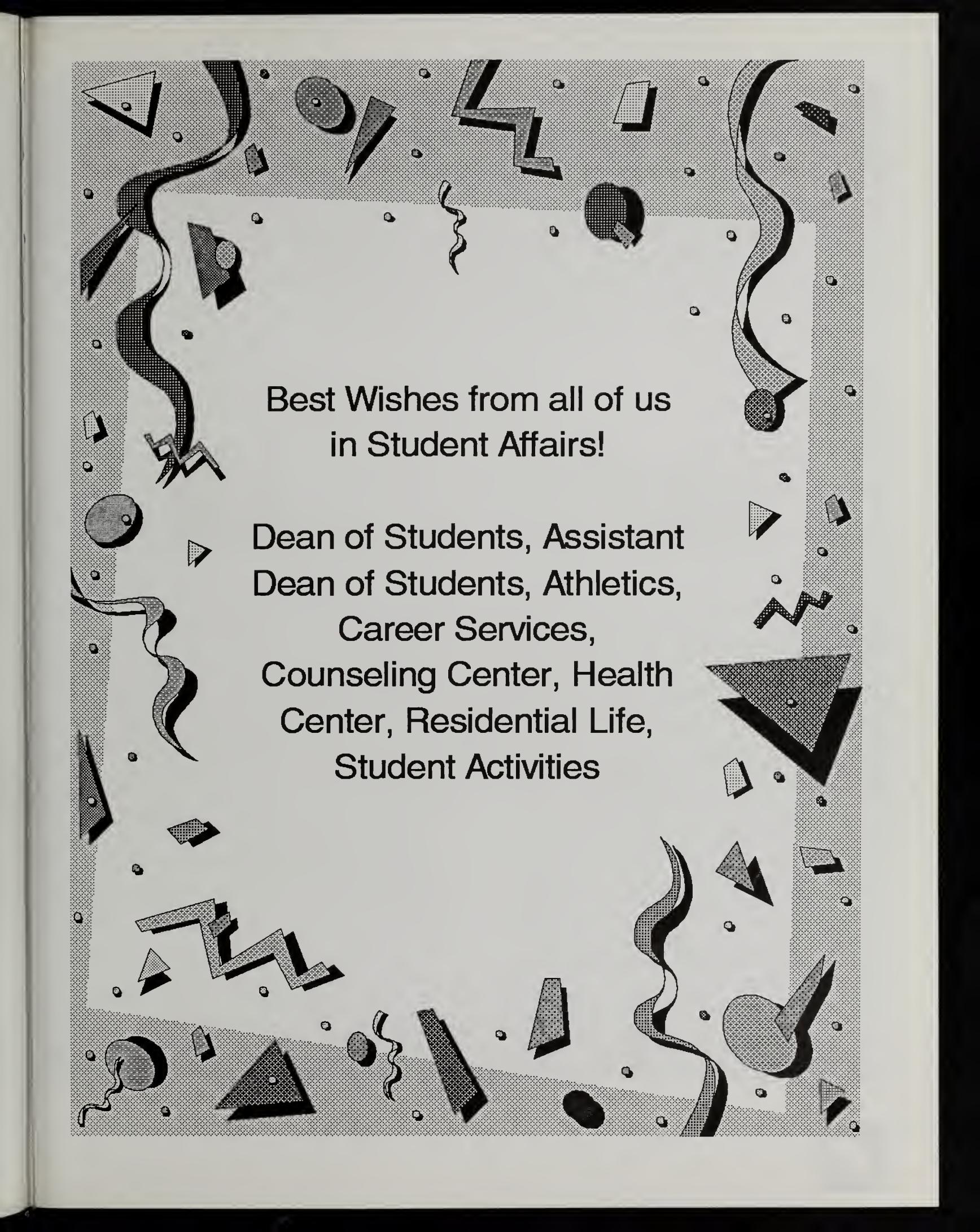
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the Early  
Childhood and  
Elementary  
Education  
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Best wishes to the Class of  
1996 for a happy and  
healthful life.  
Barbara, Ann & Cynthia



Best wishes for a  
wonderful life!  
Maria and I  
appreciate all of  
your interest in her!  
Susan Presti



**Best Wishes from all of us  
in Student Affairs!**

Dean of Students, Assistant  
Dean of Students, Athletics,  
Career Services,  
Counseling Center, Health  
Center, Residential Life,  
Student Activities

Message from your editor:

As I finalize the layouts and check all the copy, I can finally sit back and relax a bit to enjoy some of the fruits of our labor. My dedicated staff: Laurie, Jean, Traci, and Jen, along with our fearless advisors, Michelle and Susan, have worked hard to make this yearbook something that won't collect dust on a bookshelf. We want this book to be something that you'll want to look at again and again. Something that you'll want to share with family and friends. After all, this book is about you. About your time at Lasell. All the memories, good and bad, have helped to make you who you are today. We hope we have captured some of those memories so that you can relive them over and over.

I would like to thank all of the staff members for their hard work throughout the year. To my wonderful advisors, Susan Presti and Michelle White, thank you for your dedication to the staff and for your infinite amount of patience and understanding. Last, but by no means least, I would like to thank Marty Kelley for all of his artwork and copy writing.

Keri Ann Forget  
1995-1996 Editor



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